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Geronimo

presented by

the Senior Class

of Clay High School

Miami County, Indiana

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Editor's Message

Do you remember when you entered school as a first grader? You were anxious to begin this new experience, eager to grow both physically and mentally, and thrilled at the prospect of gaining new knowledge and new friends.

Time rushed on far too fast. Suddenly one day you had reached that first big important goal—high school graduation. Feelings of happiness and sadness were mingled together. For now you were no longer a part, but only an observer of your school's activities. The tests you hadn't prepared for, the beauty of Thanksgiving and Christmas convocations, and the tense, exciting moments at basketball games were all memories.

Now we stand before the door marked exit. We are about to join those many footsteps that have become memories to Clay School. We, too, will become participants in a new and yet greater experience—the challenge and responsibility of adulthood in an adult world. Bon voyage to our school.

We, too, hope to fill the shoes of life as so many of our friends have done before us. We, too, hope to climb to happy successful lives as a fulfillment of the trust placed in us by our school.

Each pair of shoes pictured throughout this book represents a person who is or has been a part of Clay School. We, the Class of 1963, are proud to join the 890 people who have graduated from this school. We are happy to contribute this book to the memories of each student, teacher, and patron of Clay who have contributed to this place and have helped it grow to become the wonderful institution of learning that it is. We hope that you will cherish and enjoy this last Geronimo as richly as we have enjoyed preparing it for you. We hope that our special efforts have been successful to make this your golden book of golden memories.

Sincerely yours.

Karen Jenkins

Editor

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In appreciation for his helpfulness as our class sponsor for four years, for accepting the responsibility of accompanying us on our senior trip, for our appreciation to him as a person, and for his helpful assistance as a classroom teacher, we the Class of 1963, dedicate this Geronimo to MR. ROBERT FRIAR.

Dedication In Appreciation

In appreciation for her assistance in the production of this Geronimo, for her guidance as a classroom teacher, for her dedication to the field of education, and for our appreciation to her as a person, we the Class of 1963, dedicate this Geronimo to MISS EVANGELINE THOMAS.

Principal's Message

You the seniors of 1962-1963 have now completed one of the first steps toward your future. In the years ahead it will be your responsibility to continue making strides toward your goals in life. It will be up to you to use what you have learned and what you will learn to help you solve difficult problems.

Good luck to you as graduates of Clay High School and may you continue to succeed in the future.

Your Principal,

Jonathan E. Ellers

Superintendent of Maconaquah School Corporation

MR. RAY GEYER

Superintendent's Secretaries

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Secretary at Clay During Fall of '62

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Secretary at Clay During Spring of '63

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Greetings to the Class of 1963:

It has been a privilege for your School Board to have had a small part in your educational accomplishments. We feel a sincere obligation to the students of Clay Township in providing a good education with good teachers, good facilities, and a well-balanced educational curricula. Our educational needs today were not the needs of yesterday, and the needs today may not be the needs of tomorrow. So, we, as a Board, feel it our duty to keep abreast, or, to keep ahead of our future needs. It was George Bernard Shaw who said, "Do not put the tacks where the rug used to be."

Today more than ever before it is necessary for all students to obtain a good education if they are to meet successfully the challenges our modern society presents to them. This was not as true in the past. It will be much more true in the future.

Your School Board appreciates what is found in Proverbs 16:16; "How much better is it to get wisdom than gold! and to get understanding rather to be chosen than silver!"

We wish you much success in all your years to come. May they each be crowned with goodness, contentment, and happiness. Remember your debt to society, and that the finest gift man can give to his age and time is the gift of a constructive and creative life.

G. R. Oldham

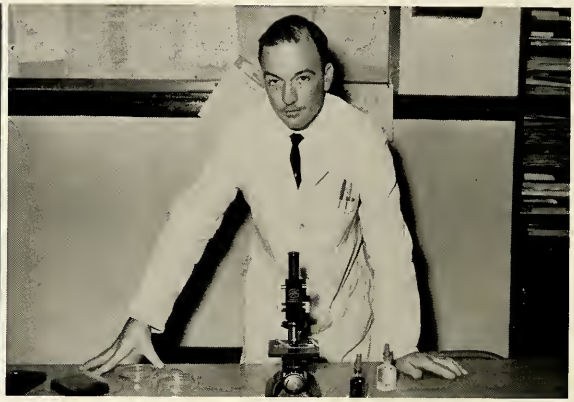
Pres., Maconaquah School Board

Faculty

MRS. BETTY MAPLE
Vocational Home Economics
Cafeteria Advisor
"There is not a moment without some duty to do."

MR. RAY E. WAGNER
Guidance and Dramatics
Speech and English
"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men."

MR. BEN BOWLES
Cross Country and head Basketball Coach
Drivers and Physical Education
7th and 8th Arithmetic
"Memories and Made of This."



MR. ROBERT FRIAR
Biology
Vocational Agriculture
"Life is short and so am I."

MR. HOMER PETERSON
Spanish, French
"A faithful friend is better than gold."

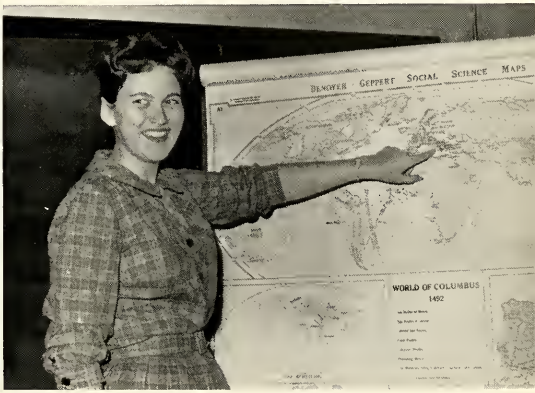
MISS EVANGELINE THOMAS
Commercial, Yearbook
"She seems so gentle and shy, but there's mischief in her eye."

M&G Drive-In Kokomo, Indiana

MRS. YVONNE PETERS
Art, Home Economics 9
"Work is work and must be done, nevertheless I'll have fun."

MRS. ROSE WOLF
English and Health, Librarian
"She's witty and kind—the kind you seldom find."

MR. ROBERT ADAMS
Mathematics, Science
"What angle is this?"



MISS SUSAN FELLER
8th English and Journalism
World History and Physical Education
"Take life easy, what is to be will be in spite of all I can do to prevent it."

MR. AND MRS. CLIFTON MERRICK
Band and Choir, Grade School Music
"United we stand and divided we fall."

MR. WAYNE PEARL
Social Studies, Physical and Drivers Education
"If poison fails, try history."

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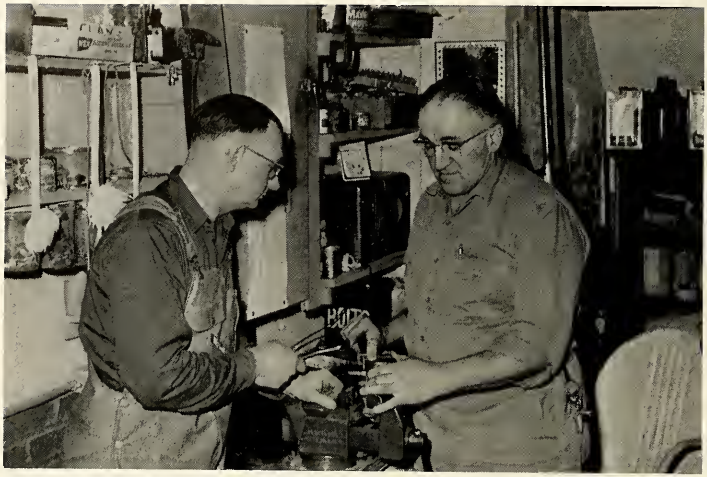
Service Personnel



Custodians

Many hours of work are required to keep our school in good condition. Bill Strebin and Levi Miller perform various duties and are always ready to lend a helping hand.

Cooks

Preparing delicious, well-balanced meals is a specialty of Edna Fewell, Kate Glassburn, Mildred Shively, and Pauline Stites.

Bus Drivers

Through rain, snow, sleet, or hail, our faithful bus drivers, Laurel Shively, Dick Harts, Paul Lewis, Meredith Bowland, Ralph Jenkins, and Paul LeMaster, deliver their passengers safely to their destinations.

Seniors

SENIOR OFFICERS

and

SPONSORS

Left to right: Connie Zehring, Treasurer; Mary Ellen Waters, Reporter; Connie Dyar, Vice-President; Miss Feller, Sponsor; Barbara Greeson, Secretary; Mr. Friar, Sponsor; John Clester,, President.

Motto:

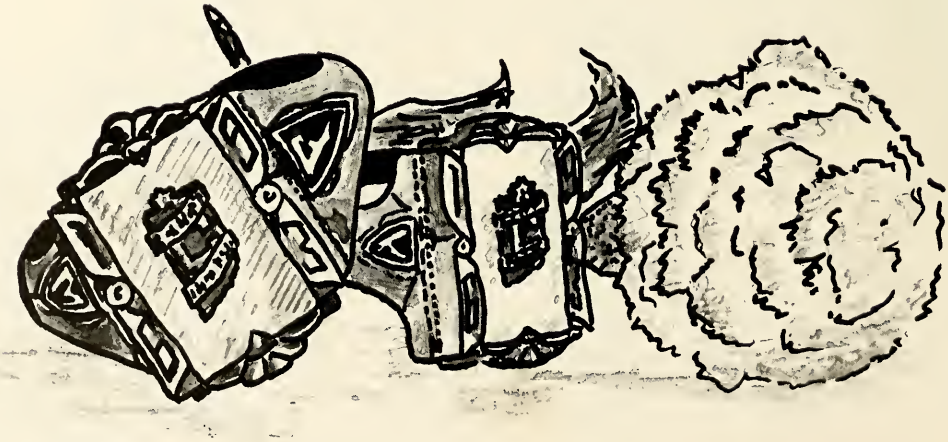
Onward Ever, Backward Never

Class Colors:

Lavender and White

Class Flower:

Lavender and White Carnation



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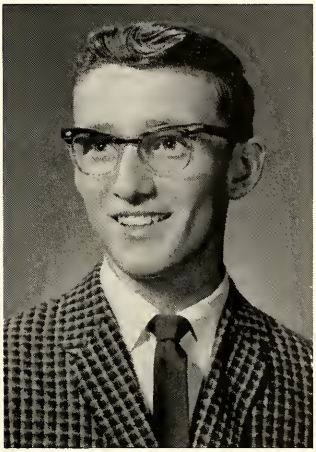
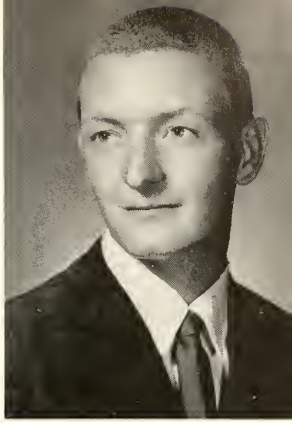
Academic Curriculum; Class Officer 2-3; N.H.S. 3-4; Speech Club 1-2-3-4; Class Play 3-4; Pep Club 1-2-3-4; F.T.A. 3; Jr. Red Cross 1-2; Intramural Sports 1; Band 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; Librarian 1-2-3-4; 4-H 8 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.





JOE WENDALL CLESTER

General Curriculum; Class Play 3; Speech Club 2; Band 1-2-3-4; Geronimo Staff 4.

VERBA MARIE BONTRAGER

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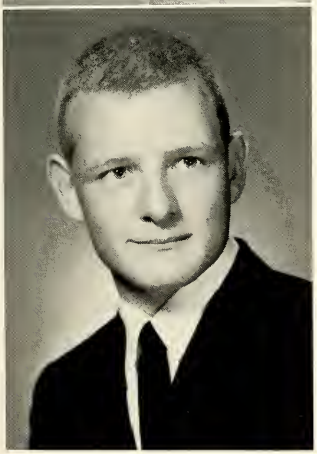

JOHN PAUL CLESTER

Academic Curriculum; Class Officer 4; Student Council 4; Speech Club 2-3-4; Class Play 3-4; Science Club 3; Choir 4; Band 1-2-3-4; Librarian 3-4; 4-H 8 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

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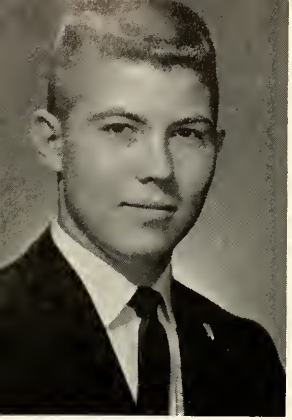

MICHEAL EDWIN FYE

Academic Curriculum; Class Officer 2-3; N.H.S. 2-3-4; Student Council 1; Class Play 3-4; Speech Club 2-3-4; Pep Club 2-3-4; Science Club 1-2-3; 4-H 6 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

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Commercial Curriculum; Class Officer 4; N.H.S. 3-4; Class Play 3-4; Pep Club 4; Speech Club 3-4; Drum Chant Staff 3; F.T.A. 3; Librarian 1-3-4; Glee Club 2; Band 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; 4-H 4 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

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Commercial Curriculum; Class Play 3; Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Librarian 3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; 4-H 2 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

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General Curriculum; Student Council 4; Class Play 3-4; Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-3-4; Drum Chant Staff 3; F.T.A. 3; Jr. Red Cross 2; Girls' League 1; Tri-Hi-Y 1; Art Club 1; Geronimo Staff 4.

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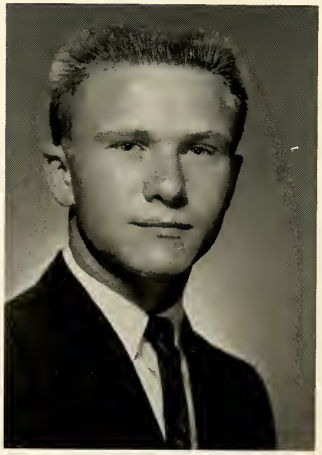

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General Curriculum; Class Officer 3; Class Play 3-4; F.F.A. 1-2-3-4; Band 3-4; Geronimo Staff 4.

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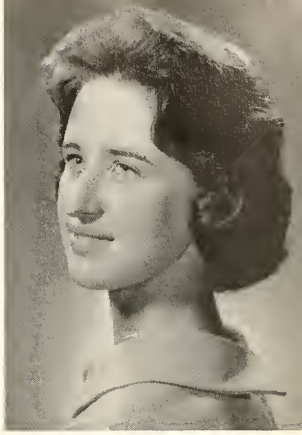

JUDITH ANN MARTIN

Commercial Curriculum; Class Play 3-4; Pep Club 2-3-4; Drum Chant Staff 3; Glee Club 2; Intramural Sports 1; Choir 1-2-3-4; 4-H 4 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

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Academic Curriculum; Class Officer 3; N.H.S. 2-3-4; Student Council 2; Speech Club 2-3-4; Class Play 3-4; Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 2; F.T.A. 3; Band 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; 4-H 8 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

MICHEAL O. PUTERBAUGH

General Curriculum; Choir 2; C Club 2-3-4; Basketball 2; Baseball 2; Cross Country 2-3; Track 2-3.

NANCY ANN PUTERBAUGH

Academic Curriculum; Speech Club 4; Choir 1-3-4; Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Bible Club 1; G.A.A. 1-2-3-4; F.T.A. 3; Jr. Red Cross 2; Librarian 4; Blue-Tri 1; 4-H 9 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

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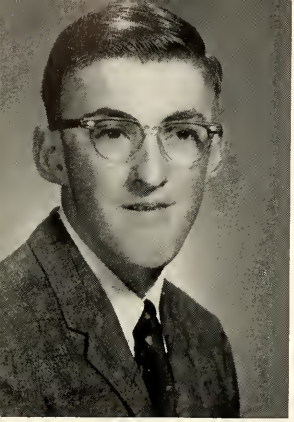

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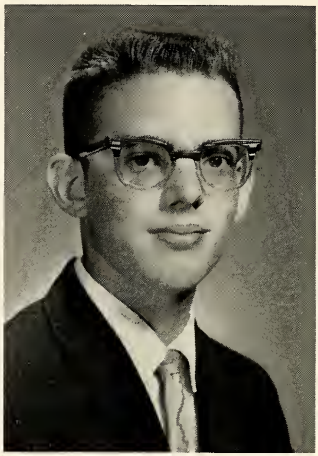

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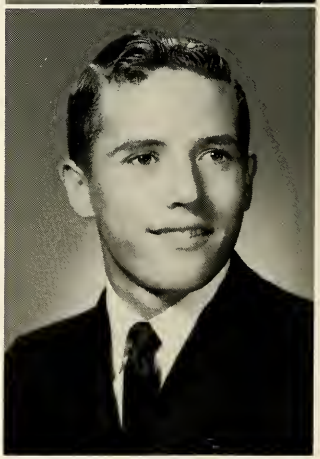
General Curriculum; Class Play 4; Choir 1; Band 4; F.F.A. 1-2-3; Pep Club 3; 4-H 3 yrs.



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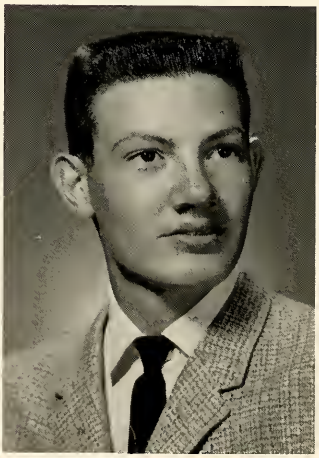
General Curriculum; Class Officer 1-3-4; Student Council 1-3; Speech Club 1; Class Play 3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 2; Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Intramural Sports 1; Geronimo Staff 4.



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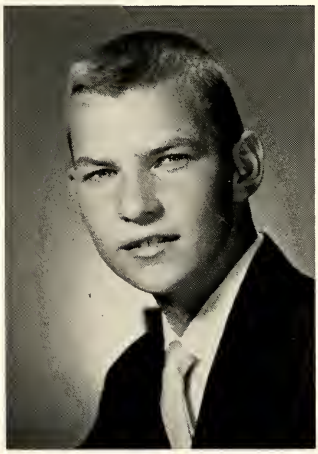

JAMES THOMAS YOARS

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CONNIE SUE ZEHRING

Academic Curriculum; Class Officer 2-3-4; N.H.S. 2-3-4; Student Council 1-2-3-4; Speech Club 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-4; Class Play 3-4; 4-H 8 yrs.; Geronimo Staff 4.

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Class Wills

I, Verba Bontrager, being of sound mind and able body, do hereby will my seat on the bus for the next two years to my brother, Jim, my natural curly hair to Connie Einselen in hopes that she can do something with it, all the fun I had in my senior year to anyone who likes to have a ball, and my laps around the Kar Hop to anyone who can afford the gas.

I, Dave Cagley, will my ability to be nominated for everything and elected to very little to anyone who is willing to be unpopular, my scholarship to Phyllis Hahn, my best wishes for their future years in Maconaquah High School to all underclassmen, and to the next class that may have Friar for a sponsor, I leave my sympathy.

I, Joe Clester, being of unsound body and no brain, will my position in the band to anyone who wants to sit under a tuba and my ability to tear down a '49 Chevy to all prospective mechanics.

I, John Clester, being of full body and empty mind, do hereby will my ability to be president of the senior class to anyone who likes to be griped at, and my senior cords to Mr. Friar's baby.

I, Rita Dangerfield, do hereby will my senior skirt to Jane Ann Berglan, my seat on the bus to Jim Hager so he may enjoy Beverly Bailey's sweet company, and my natural color of hair to Terry Gaunt.

I, Connie Dyar, being of weak mind and sound body, do hereby will my position as cheerleader for four years to Phyllis Hahn and Janet Powell and my ability to snap my fingers to Mr. Wagner.

I, Mike Fye, being of small stature and smaller mind, do hereby bequeath my senior cords to Dave Hostetler, so that he may wear them as bermuda shorts; my questionable art ability to anyone who enjoys drawing hot rods and "weirdos" during all classes; and the ability to spell M-A-C-O-N-A-Q-U-A-H to all future Maconaquahians, who will certainly need it.

I, Barbara Greeson, being of overnourished body and undernourished mind, do hereby leave my resistance to the male sex to my cousin, Carol, my senior skirt to Cynthia Glassburn, and my used-up ink eraser to any person planning to enroll in Bookkeeping, Typing II—Office Practice.

I, Paula Helton, being of undersized mind and oversized body, do hereby will my position as Vice President of the Waupecong Hot Rodder's Club to my sister, Bonnie. Also to my sister I leave my senior skirt in hopes she will grow into it. And last but not least, I leave to my cousin Cynthia Glassburn my most prized possession, my 1962 Baby Blue Imperial. (yo-yo).

I, Karen Jenkins, bequeath my quiet reserved manner to Tom Agness, my state 4-H demonstration experience to Kathy Maple, and my happy memories of high school to all underclassmen.

I, Jack Klein, being of strong body and bewildered mind, do hereby will my disability to get along with my fellow classmates to no one, and my Big Bad Olds to Jim in hopes he has better luck with it than I have had.

I, Judy Martin, being of sound mind and able body, do hereby will my senior skirt to Barbara Ann Bontrager in hopes that she will grow into it someday, and my enjoyable experiences at Clay to all underclassmen.

I, Joyce Mast, being of sound body and weak mind, do hereby will my seat on the bus to Sherry Lorenz in hopes that she finds a new partner; and to my cousin, David Mast, I leave my big mouth in hopes that he will put it to better use.

I, Jerry Miller, being of weak stature and weaker mind, do hereby will my ability to pop gum in study hall to anyone who wants to get into trouble; my great drumming ability which comes from many hours of no practice to my sister, Vickie; and my senior cords to my other sister, Connie, who I am sure will never wear them.

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Galveston Branch

I, Cindy Newton, do hereby will my ability to keep quiet in study hall to Barbara Hershberger; my long bus ride home to "Toots" Bontrager, Rodney Alsbaugh, and Don Weeks; and my fun at play practice to all the "up and coming professionals."

I, Mike Puterbaugh, being of overworked body and undernourished mind, do hereby leave the following: my height to Terry Fye; my senior cords to David Mast; and to Jeanne Rooksberry, I leave a book on the art of *Feeding and Caring for Pigs Without Killing Them All.*

I, Nancy Puterbaugh, feeling very tired and weak, do hereby give to anyone my enjoyment at the Car Hop and at Clay; my sense of humor to Sherry Lorenz in hopes she will smile more; and to Terry Fye, I leave all my hopes that he will grow.

I, Phyllis Ramsey, being of sound mind, do hereby will my seat on the bus to Jan Hostetler and my non-curly hair to Terry Gaunt. I also will my seat in General Math to Deryl Johnson in hopes that he will put it to better use than I did.

I, Junior Riley, will my ability to be a hard worker in first period study hall to Tom Agness and my ability to pick fights with Frank Whiterd in Art class to his sister, Mary.

I, Bob Runyan, being questionable in most all aspects, ain't not gonna will nothin' to nobody cause I like things just the way they are!

I, John Shrock, bequeath my superior driving ability to Ronnie Stites, my '62 Chevy Convert to Janet Powell in hopes that she can take as good of care of it as I did, and my great ability to play the cymbals to anybody who wants the darn things.

I, Judy Stites, being of no mind, will my nickname, Stitsie, to Ronnie Stites; my senior skirt to Jane Ann Berglan; all of my height to Jerry Honeysuckle; my becoming looks to Barbara Hershberger; and all of my good study habits to the Freshmen.

I, Mary Stout, do hereby will to my younger sister, Kay, who will be entering high school next year, my ability to talk; my job as plate scrapper to who ever has "four hands" and feels they are fast at what they set out to accomplish; and my senior skirt to Paulette Malott hoping she will wear it in friendship.

I, Russell Troyer, being of large oversized body and a scrambled brain, do hereby will the following things: to Tom Glassburn, my ability to get into all kinds of ———— and to all the Romeos here at school I will all my personal problems, if they can find any, I'm numb.

I, Mary Ellen Waters, being of oversized body and undeveloped mind, will my responsibilities during my high school days to anyone who is crazy enough to take them, and the good times I've had to anyone who enjoys life.

I, Frank Whiterd, being of sound body and unsound mind, will my senior cords to Ralph Feller in hopes that he might fit into the 32 waist some day and my hot '53 Chevy to anyone who can keep it running.

I, Larry Eugene Wilson, being of sound body and undisturbed mind, do hereby will the following things: my studying, my senior troubles, and the teachers unsuspected tempers to the next unprivileged characters.

I, Darlene Wood, being of unsound mind and questionable body, bequeath to Janet Powell a pair of jamacas that are guaranteed not to "rip" on the bouncieville; to Vicky Miller I leave Dickie, (she can have him); to Connie Miller I leave all the confidence I never have had; and to all students at Clay I leave my best wishes in their future at Maconaquah.

I, James Yoars, being of weak mind and sound body, do hereby will my ability to get passing grades in Geometry with the least amount of effort, to Wayne Overman; my seat in agriculture to David Mast; my senior cords to Jim Bontrager; and my part in the senior play to Tom Agness in hopes that he might become a preacher.

I, Connie Zehring, will my position as Student Council president to Jim Wilson, my time spent at speech contests to Charlotte Bowman, and the fun I've had at Clay to my "little" brother and sister Larry and Linda.

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Hirschberg Store
Kokomo, Indiana

Class History

In the fall of 1959,—41 freshmen entered the doors of Clay Township for a journey toward our destination—graduation. To lead us were Mr. Robert Friar and Mrs. Inez Brunegraff, sponsors; Mary Ellen Waters, president; Connie Dyar, vice-president; Connie Sharp, secretary and treasurer; Judy Stites, reporter; and Connie Zehring, student council representative. The class was delighted to have Connie Dyar elected varsity cheerleader. That year we chose Jerry Miller and Connie Sharp as king and queen candidates for the Halloween Festival. We were sorry to see Millie Miller, leave us, but Trudy Garrard came to join us.

In September of '60, 39 sophomores were led by Mr. Robert Friar and Mr. Ronald Sullivan, sponsors; Connie Zehring, president; Dave Cagley, vice-president; Connie Dyar, secretary; Mike Fye, treasurer; Trudy Garrard, reporter; and Karen Jenkins, student council representative. Connie Dyar was re-elected varsity cheerleader. Mike Fye and Connie Dyar were our nominees for king and queen of the Halloween Festival. This year we got our charcoal sweaters and jackets with red and white emblems. We lost several students this year; Bobby Lane, Pat Phillipy, Jerry Glassburn, Sandy Bowland, Verbeta Osborne, Joan Glassburn, Vera Margaret Hahn, Bob Hawkins, David Miller, and Nelson Miller. We gained Cindy Newton, Mike and Nancy Puterbaugh, Mary Lou Smith, Bill Willis, and Bill Gaunt. Frank Riddle stayed for a short while.

Thirty-five juniors began in September, 1961. Mr. Friar and Mr. Sullivan were again our sponsors; Jerry Miller, president; Connie Dyar, vice-president; Karen Jenkins, secretary; Verb Bontrager, treasurer; Mike Fye, reporter; Connie Zehring, business manager; Dave Cagley, assistant business manager; and Mary Ellen Waters, student council representative. Connie Dyar was chosen cheerleader for the third consecutive year. As a money making project, we sold concessions at the ballgames. Our king and queen candidates, Larry Wilson and Karen Jenkins, were runners-up at the Halloween Festival. During this year, we received our long awaited rings and tried our hand in dramatics. We presented a 3-act drama entitled "No Deadly Medicine," directed by Mr. Ray Wagner. On May 18, we entertained the seniors at Honeywell Memorial in Wabash and after the reception our parents sponsored a dance at the Converse City Hall. During this year, we lost Sandy Helm and Glenn Hershberger.

In the fall of 1962, our fourth and final year, 31 seniors were led by our sponsors Mr. Friar and Miss Susan Feller. Upon Miss Feller's leaving in December, Mrs. Olga Breaux replaced her as sponsor. The officers were: John Clester, president; Connie Dyar, vice-president; Barbara Greeson, secretary; Connie Zehring, treasurer; Mary Ellen Waters, reporter; and Cindy Newton, student Council representative. The class was honored to have Connie Dyar elected cheerleader for the fourth year. This year Jim Yoars and Cindy Newton, our king and queen candidates, took high honors at the Halloween Festival. On November 21, Mary Ellen Waters was crowned the first Homecoming Queen. Again this year we tried our hand in dramatics, but this year we gave a 3-act comedy entitled "One Foot In Heaven," directed by Mr. Wagner. We lost Betty Cooley, Connie Sharp, Sherry Whaley, Bill Gaunt, and Rita Dangerfield; but gained John Shrock.

Our money making projects included the selling of candy, key chains and bracelets. We also had skating parties, car washes, and a dance after the 4-Way Tourney.

Other highlights of the year included the Junior-Senior Reception on May 17, Baccalaureate on May 19, the Commencement on May 21, and the nine day trip to Gettysburg, Washington, D.C., New York, and Niagara Falls.

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY
April 6 and 7

Helen—Connie Dyar
Miss Hawkins—Darlene Wood
Marilyn—Sandy Helm
Pam—Joyce Mast
Dr. Pearson—Mike Fye
Miss Bannister—Karen Jenkins
John Alexander—David Cagley
Diane Hughson—Barbara Greeson
Dr. Howard—Joe Clester
Dr. Susan Shawcross—Judy Stites
Dr. O'Donnell—John Clester
Dr. Lucy Grainger—Judy Martin
Dr. Margaret Brown—Connie Jo Sharp
Dr. Rufus—Jerry Miller
Harry Lorenzo—Jim Yoars
Dr. Coleman—Connie Zehring
Elizabeth—Cindy Newton
Dr. Anne Harvey—Paula Helton
Student Nurses—Betty Cooley, Phyllis Ramsey, Mary Stout, Verba Marie Bontrager
Lighting—Bob Runyan

"No Deadly Medicine"

Two different types of plays were produced by the Class of '63. Our Junior Play, "No Deadly Medicine," was a drama centering around the activities and events of a hospital. Our second attempt at acting was a story of a more humorous nature concerning a minister's family, "One Foot In Heaven." Many weeks of hard work proceeded each performance, but there was also time for lots of fun and food at every practice. The casts enjoyed their short acting careers very much and appreciated the patience and expert guidance of the director, Mr. Ray Wagner.

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"One Foot in Heaven"

SENIOR CLASS PLAY
October 12 and 13

Rev. William H. Spence—David Cagley
Hope Spence—Connie Zehring
Hartzell—Mike Fye
Eileen—Karen Jenkins
Dr. Romer—John Clester
Louise—Connie Dyar
Maria—Judy Martin
Molly—Mary Ellen Waters
Ronny—Jerry Miller
Letty—Judy Stites
Mrs. Sandow—Barbara Greeson
Mrs. Digby—Darlene Wood
Georgie—John Shrock
Mrs. Cambridge—Verba Marie Bontrager
Mrs. Jellison—Cindy Newton
Major Cooper—Frank Whitered
Bishop Sherwood—Ray Wagner
Rev. Fraser Spence—Jim Yoars
Lighting—Bob Runyan

Class of 1963

SPECIAL 30 PAGE TECH REPORT:
GIANT '62 CARS ROUNDUP
EVERY NEW ENGINEERING
ADVANCE PLUS
BONUS CUST
FORD FAIRLANE
apionship Tra
ck Car Racing:

Juniors

FRONT ROW: David Mast, Vice-President; Sherry Lorenz, Secretary; Jane Ann Berglan, Assistant Business Manager; Charlotte Bowman, President. BACK ROW: Mr. Adams, Sponsor; Roger Sommers, Business Manager; Tom Agness, Treasurer; Don Lape, Reporter. Absent from picture is Mrs. Peters, Sponsor.

At the beginning of the school year the Juniors were ready for lots of fun, but they were also seriously considering their plans for a future occupation.

How they did on the latter we don't know, but the Class of '64 certainly had lots of fun.

Their first semester party was held at the home of Jeanne Rooksberry. Games and that old stand-by, food, were enjoyed.

Custom dictates that the Junior Class always sells concessions. This kept them busy at the Halloween Festival, ballgames, and after dances. They really didn't mind selling their items, but it was the cleaning up afterwards they really loved!

As Sophomores they were excited when their class jackets and sweaters arrived, but the ordering and receiving of their rings made them just as excited. There were a variety of styles and colors of stones among the class members this year, and all of the rings were very pretty.

A dance symbolizing Valentines Day was sponsored by the Juniors after one of our ball games. The lovely decorations helped to make it an extra-special event.

On April 5 and 6 they presented their first class play.

The class planned for weeks for their last big event as Juniors—the Junior-Senior Reception at Honeywell Memorial. They did a fine job of making the evening a success.

Members of the Junior Class have been an important part of all our many school activities and events.

Tom Agness
Charlie Barnett
Jane Ann Berglan
Charlotte Bowman
Ralph Feller

Terry Fye
Phyllis Gaskins
Thomas Glassburn
Becky Herrell
David Hostetler

Jim Klise
Don Lape
Sherry Lorenz
Nancy Martin
David Mast

Judy Miller
Terrell Myers
Donna Overman
Don Ploughe
Janet Powell

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Kokomo, Indiana

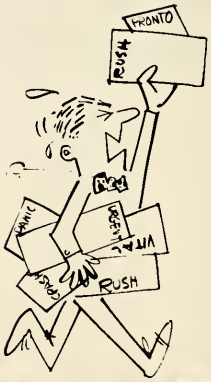
Janet Sue Rickard
Nona Rickard
Jeanne Rooksberry
Roger Sommers

Dean Swartzentruber
Janet Watson
Jim Wilson

Have a coke — for a dime.

Popcorn for sale!

I want that one!

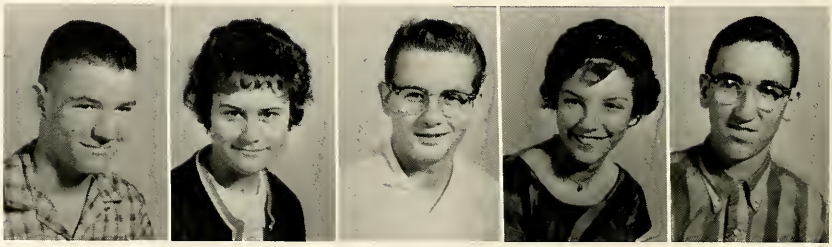


A candy-apple for me?

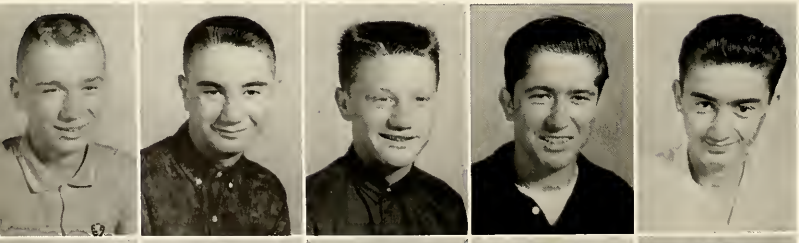
Sophomores

LEFT TO RIGHT: Kay Rickard, Reporter; Phyllis Hahn, Vice-President; Connie Miller, Treasurer; Vickie Miller, Secretary; Rick Miles, President; and Sponsors, Mrs. Wolfe and Miss Thomas.

Rodney Alspaugh
Beverly Bailey
Scott Becraft
Karen Billhimer
Dean Bontrager



Kriegs Restaurant
Kokomo, Indiana



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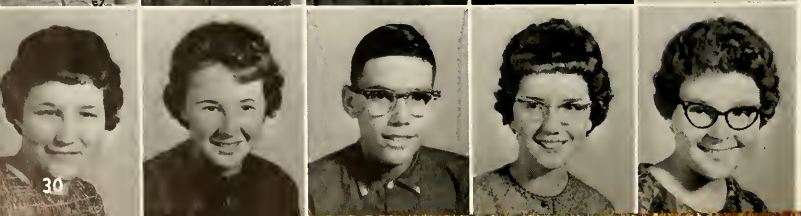
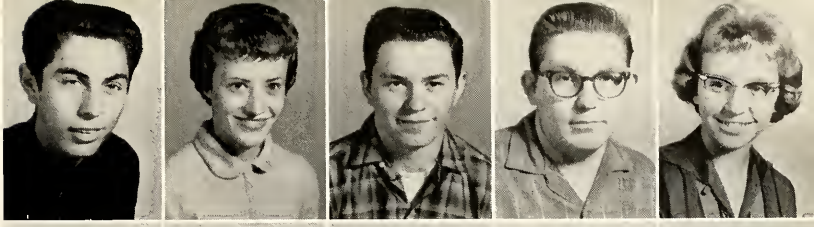
Danny Drake
Larry Earlywine

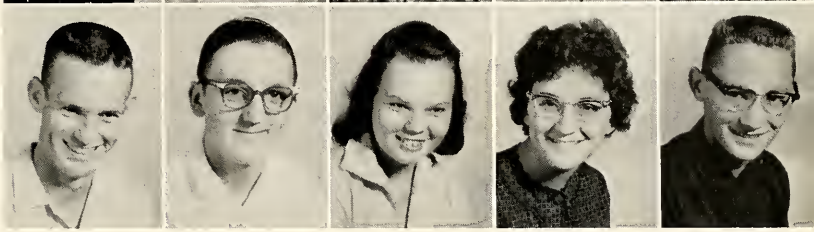


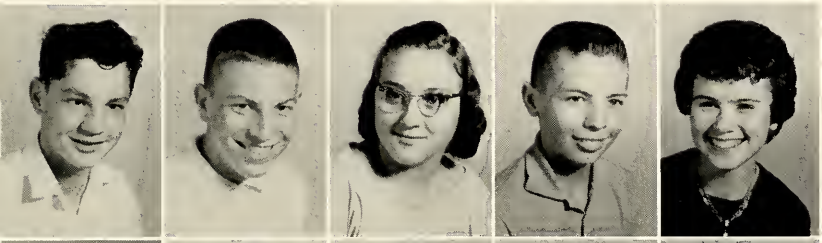
Connie Einselen
Ramona Fye
Phillip Gaskins
Cynthia Glassburn
Letitia Glassburn

Jim Hager
Phyllis Hahn
Merrell Hawkins
Richard Hawkins
Barbara Hershberger



Jerry Honeysuckle
Jim Kendall
Carol Klein
Joyce Kling
Phil Kling





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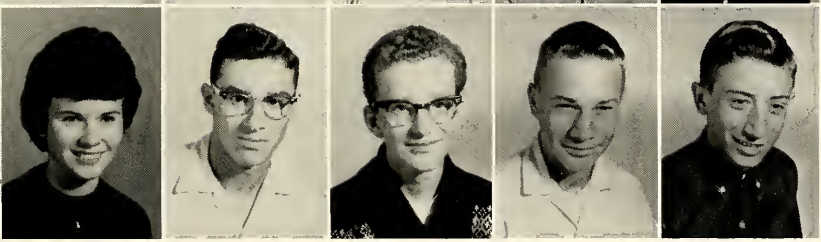
Vada Myers
Rick Miles
Connie Miller



Vickie Miller
John Henry Miller
Richard Miller
Steve Miller
Wayne Miller

Cardinal Variety Store
Galveston, Indiana

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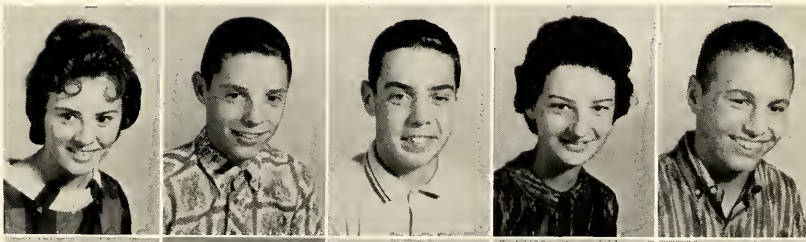
Steve Oldhan
Wayne Overman
Kay Rickard
Don Weeks



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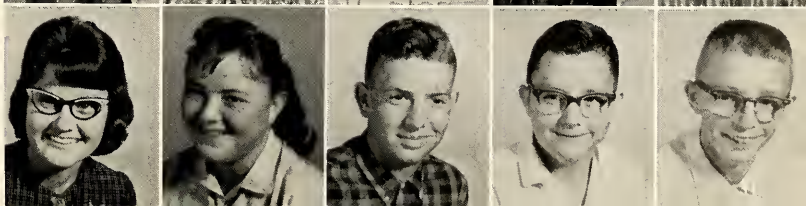


Sophomore Activities

The Sophomores found it difficult to decide the color and style of their new jackets and sweaters.

Everyone enjoyed the Variety Show "Queen For A Day," which the Sophs presented at the Halloween Festival.

Members of the Class of 1965 were anxious to begin their second year of high school.

The first major event of the year was the Halloween Festival. The Sophomores chose to have a variety show as their part in making the evening a success. They presented the television favorite, "Queen For A Day," with a few slight changes.

Their happiest moment was the arrival of those bright royal blue jackets and sweaters with a big red "M" on the side. The Sophomores could be seen for miles after that, but everyone had to admit that their jackets were really sharp.

Swimming was enjoyed at the first semester class party with refreshments served at the home of Phyllis Hahn.

As proof of their support for our basketball team, the sophs participated in a thrilling game during one of our pep sessions. It was the girls versus the boys. Who won? The girls (Indians), of course!

We're proud of our Sophomores and of the many contributions they have made to our school.

Freshmen

Freshmen

Sponsor, Mr. Pearl; President, Deryl Johnson; Reporter, Marlene Miller; Treasurer, Kathy Maple; Secretary, Marcia Borden.

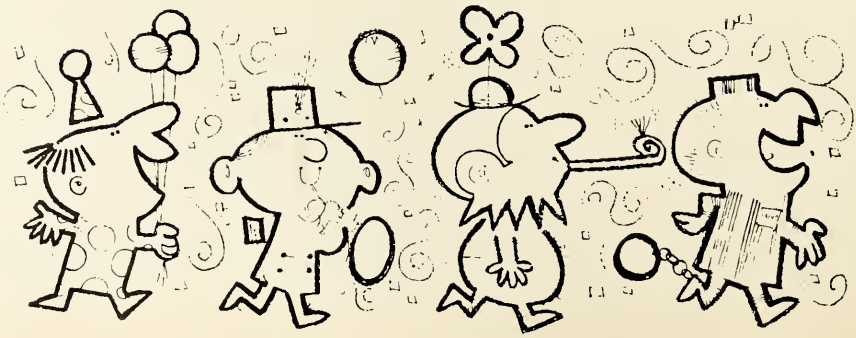
The Freshman class this year was the largest Freshman class in Clay's history.

They held their first class party at the U.C.E. Building in Amboy. Along with games they had the usual refreshments.

At the Halloween Festival they sponsored the Football Throw.

Again this year there was a Freshman basketball team. They have a record of two wins and eight losses.

The Freshmen have taken a big part in all the school activities of 1962-63.



Ethel Acord
Reva Bagley
Jim Bell
Darrell Boone
Marcia Borden

Linda Bowman
Phyllis Bowman
Dewey Childers
Phyllis Davis
Jerald Fewell

Joyce Fewell
Thishona Flarherty
Rosie Gannon
Garon Garling
Terry Gaunt

Linda Gingerich
Joe Glassburn
Jo Nell Glassburn
Deanne Harter
Linda Hass

John Thomas Furniture Company
Galveston, Indiana

Gene Helton
Jan Hostetler
Rex Hopper
Joy Hunter
Pat Hurley

Deryl Johnson
John Johnson
David Kling
Steve Kling
Don Kunkle

Terri Lloyd
Randy Locks
Norma Lorenz
Paulette Malott
Kathy Maple

Saundra Martin
Steve McGowen
Carol Miller
Fannie Miller
Henry Miller

Marlene Miller
Russell Miller
Renee Morris
Jim Mosely
Randy Mosier

Dennis Myers
Galen Roberts
Dick Runyan
Linda Schrock
Ronnie Stites

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Conrad Stodgell
David Stout
Diana Shinn
Dick Slabaugh
Roy Thieke

Cecil Troyer
Becky Waltz
Nancy White
Jerry Yoars
Joe Yoder

Junior High

Junior High

Left to right: Gary Exmeyer, Reporter; Bonnie Shrock, Vice-President; Rosemary Kling, Secretary; Bonnie Helton, Treasurer; Mary Miller, President.

When school began in September, the Junior High students were ready for a year of new experiences.

At the Halloween Festival they had the "Hit Punkie" in which points were scored by throwing a ping-pong ball through the mouth of a pumpkin face.

Although the Junior High basketball team had their ups and downs, the students were very proud of them.

The Junior High students participated in Pep Club, music contests, and other school activities.

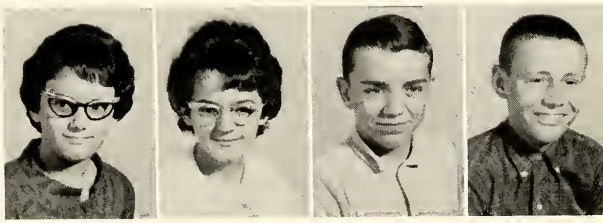
Eighth

Ted Agness
Barbara Bell
Barbara Bontrager
Jock Brankle

Gary Exmeyer
Patty Fox
Dale Gaskin
Shirley Graber

Bonnie Helton
Ruth Jenkins
Wanda Kendall
Wayne King
Lois Kling

Mary Miller
Sandra Shackelford
Gary Townsend
Barry Worl



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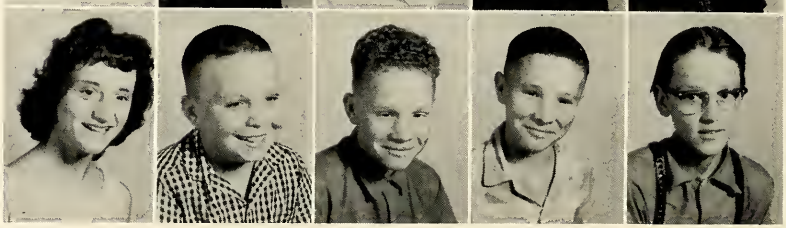
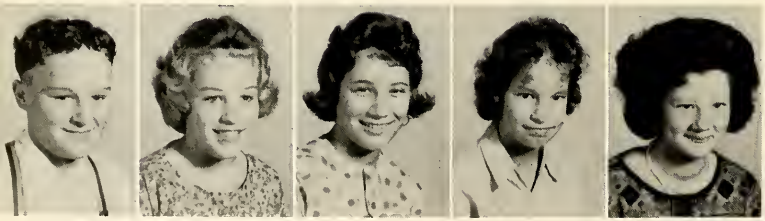
Seventh

Sharon Acord
Micheal Blackburn
Charles Bowland
Linda Correll
Pamela Correll

Gailon Garling
Micheal Glassburn
Carol Greeson
Bill Hopper
Kathy Johns

Rosemary Kling
Larry Marner
Adrian Martin
Bob Martin
Ethan Miller





Lloyd Miller
Marcia Miller
Bonnie Shrock
Mildred Stites
Judy Whiterd

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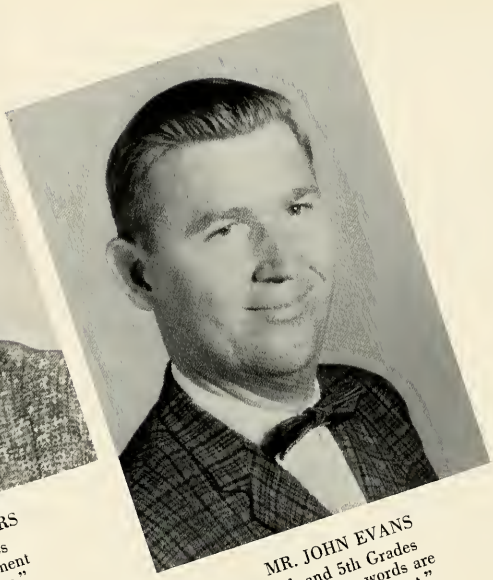
Elementary

MISS ETHEL ELLARS
5th and 6th Grades
"She scatters enjoyment everywhere she goes."



MR. JOHN EVANS
4th and 5th Grades
"Men of few words are considered the best."

Elementary Teachers

MISS COLUMBIA GERHART
2nd and 3rd Grades
"It's nice to be natural when you're so naturally nice."

MRS. ZELLA STODGELL
1st and 2nd Grades
"Good cheer is no hinderance to a good life."

Myer's Auto Repair Service
Plevna, Indiana

Sixth

Sharlott Acord
Gary Bell
Roger Betzner
Eva Bontrager
Paula Bowland
Linda Clark
Terry Dean

Dennis Fewell
Gary Gilbreath
Deana Glassburn
Jim Glassburn
Paulette Glassburn
Linda Holder
Debbie Johns

Susan King
Richard Kuntz
Steven Maple
Bonnie Martin
Lynette Martin
Elizabeth Mast
Rex Medlen

Roger Miller
Susan Miller
Patrick Puterbaugh
DeWayne Roberts
Jeffrey Sampsel
Alan Stites
Kathy Townsend

Tom Wagner

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Converse, Indiana

Fifth

Daten Acord
Frank Bargerhuff
Galen Bontrager
Nila Boone

Beth Briner
Joyce Fox
Larry Gingerich
Max Gingerich
Jay Glassburn
Sandra Glassburn
Ruth Graber

Eddie Hopper
Jay Jenkins
Doug LeMaster
Bonnie Miller
Larry Miller
Raymond Miller
Craig Myers

Anita Roberts
Danny Shackelford
Beth Ann Shinn
Joyce Shrock
James Stites
Deloris Troyer
Stephen Townsend

Fourth

Jeanette Acord
Marjorie Acord
Roger Agness
Jackie Bell
Juanita Clark
Angela Fye

Manuel Gonzales
Rosalinda Gonzales
Naomi Graber
Ricky Lee Graber
David Green
Denise Harts

Eric Hiers
Stephen Holder
Sandy Jo Kendall
Mikel Kling
Kathy Kuntz
Dennis Maple

Linda Marner
Carolyn Martin
Rex Martin
Linda Miller
Glenda Mishler
Joe Perry

John Runyan
Johnathan Sampsel

Sponsored by
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stepler

Third

Gary Acord
Carolyn Betzner
Leanna Bontrager
Janet Briner

Karen Correll
Gerald Garling
Mitchell Glassburn
Jody Hostetler

Jimmy Jenkins
Diane Kuntz
Danny Lewis
John Shinn
Timmy Wagner

Second

Teresa Acord
Lee Bargerhuff
Ricky Bell
Roger Blackburn
Joyce Bontrager
Martha Dean
Charles Finster

Marilyn Gilbreath
Karen Gingerich
Norman Gingerich
Lupe Gonzalez
Mark Hiers
Mark Lamb
Charles Lewis

Jerel Maple
Bruce Miller
Sara Miller
Roger Perry
Gary Shackelford
Cynthia Shelton
Sharon Snyder

Robert Stites
Teddy Wagner
Linda Zehring
Elizabeth Glassburn

First

Frederick Acord
Ernie Bontrager

Debra Finster
Goldie Garling
Joan Graber
Mary Graber
Randy Graber
David Greeson
Dennis Harts

Krista Hiers
Jimmy Hostetler
Melanie Jones
Larry Kendall
Jack Kling
Douglas Lewis
Carl Lowe

Fredrick Martin
Gregory Miller
Weldon Riley
Marlin Schrock
Gale Shinn
Ray Van Doren
Tonya Wagner

Fifth and Sixth Team

FIRST ROW: Roger Miller, Pat Pnterbaugh, Tom Wagner, Gary Gibreath, Stephen Maple, Raymond Miller. SECOND ROW: Doug LeMasters, Larry Gingerich, Manager—Jeff Sampsel, Richard Kuntz, Rex Medlen, Larry Miller, Craig Myers, Eddie Hopper, Coach —John Evans.

Music Contest

Tom Wagner
First Place

Paulette Glassburn
First Place

Jeff Sampsel
Second Place

Fifth and Sixth grade team Undefeated!

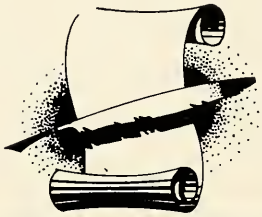
Fifth and Sixth Cheerleaders

BACK ROW: Bonnie Miller, Linda Holder, Debbie Johns. IN FRONT: Angela Fye.

Classes

Junior English

Mr. Wagner gives the Junior Class a chance to work at their own speed. They also get an opportunity to show their writing skills by writing a term paper.



The United States Government class learns many new and interesting things about our government under the guidance of Mr. Ellers.

U.S. Government

7th Grade Health

Mrs. Wolf teaches the seventh graders that health is important. The students find that health in interesting as well as educational.

8th Grade Arithmetic

The students in the eighth grade arithmetic class learn to solve the new and different problems presented to them by their teacher, Mr. Bowles.

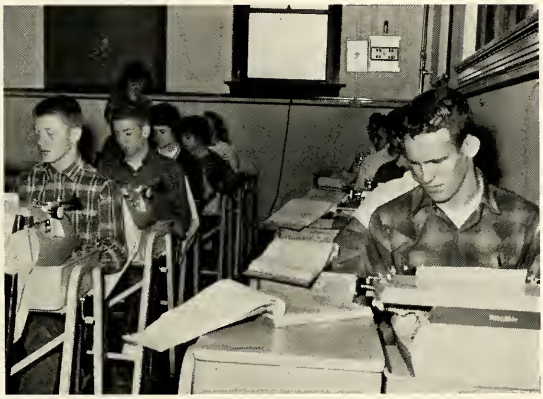
O. K. Barber Shop
Peru, Indiana

Physics

Among the topics studied by the Physics students, under Mr. Adams supervision, are gases, liquids, forces, motion, machines, heat, sound, light, and electricity.

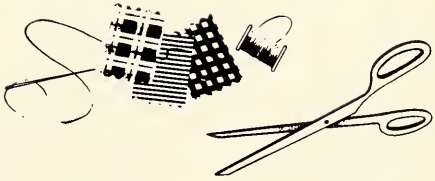
Biology

The Freshman Biology Class watches attentively as Mr. Friar gives them information. During the year the class dissects such things as grasshoppers, cray fish, worms, and chickens. In addition, they learn the meaning of words such as: Metamorphoses, Metazoa, Tyranasaurus, and Hymenoptera.



Typing I

Miss Thomas takes the role of clock-watcher as the Typing I Class takes a timed writing, trying to increase their speed and reduce their errors. If they succeed in doing so, they climb higher and higher on the typing mountain.



Jr. and Sr. Home Ec.

In the Junior-Senior Home Economics Class the students study a wide variety of topics, including cooking, sewing, grooming, child care, room arrangements, and home management. Mrs. Maple strives to teach the girls efficient homemaking practices.

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Spanish I

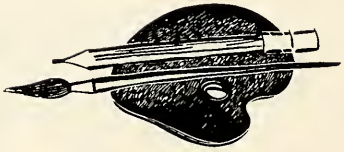
Here under the direction of Mr. Petterson, the students are learning to conjugate words in Spanish. The students receive a great deal of enjoyment from reading the letters from their pen pals.

High School Art

"It has been said that the measure of life for the individual is the breadth of his experience and the degree to which he feels these experiences." Miss Peters helps give each student an opportunity to follow his interests and create with art media.

Sophomore Physical Education

The Sophomore Physical Education class enjoys a rousing basketball game, deck tennis, volleyball, and many other sports and relays during the year. Miss Feller encourages good sportsmanship while the girls are becoming skillful at various sports.



Drivers Education

This being the sixth year for Driver's Education at Clay, we are very proud of our 1963 Fairlane 500 as well as the fine job Mr. Pearl and Mr. Bowles are doing as instructors of the course. It is their job, not only to teach them to drive, but to teach them to drive carefully and with extreme caution.

Stallers Drive In
Peru, Indiana

Activities

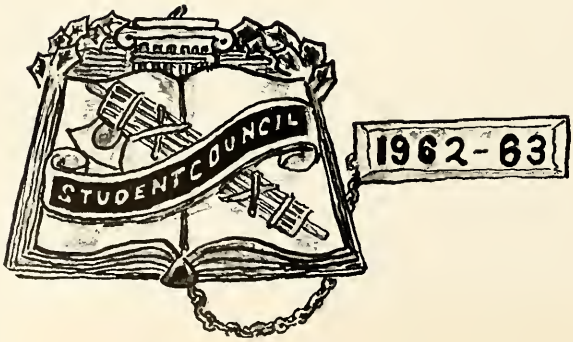
President, Connie Zehring; Vice-President, Cindy Newton; Secretary, Charlotte Bowman; Treasurer, Rick Miles.

Student Council

The Student Council was originated to provide a practical training ground in the democratic progress, to promote better faculty-student relations, and to encourage the students to assume more responsibility in the school community. The Council's members represent grades 7-12 and the extracurricular clubs and organizations.

Some of the responsibilities of the Student Council are the Halloween Festival, cheerleader tryouts, school convocations, all-school parties, provisions for a forum for discussion of school problems, and the promotion of a positive school spirit.

These students deserve much credit for the contribution of their time, energy, and enthusiasm.



Ray E. Wagner

OFFICERS, left to right: Secretary, Jane Ann Berglan; Vice-President, Darlene Wood; President, Karen Jenkins; Treasurer, Jim Wilson.

National Honor Society

The National Honor Society was started for the purpose of promoting increased interest in scholarship, better quality of leadership, sincere concentration of character, and higher dedication of service. The activities of this organization are therefore designed to lead toward the achievement of these purposes. The activities sponsored this year were College Night, Homecoming, Academic Recognition Dinner, and discussion groups.

Ray E. Wagner

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

High School Band

STANDING: Jerry Miller, Vickie Miller, Jim Kendall, John Shrock, Cloyn Zody, Linda Gingerich, Mr. Merrick. BACK ROW: Darlene Wood, Cynthia Glassburn, Phyllis Hahn, Joyce Kling, Jo Nell Glassburn, Paulette Malotte, Judy Stites, Joe Clester, Roy Thieke, Wayne Overman, Steve Bowland, Carol Miller. MIDDLE ROW: Connie Dyar, Karén Jenkins, David Cagley, Janet Powell, John Clester, Connie Zehring, David Kling, Steve Kling, Ronald Stites, Barbara Greeson, Letitia Glassburn, Donna Overman, Darrel Boone, Jerry Yoars, Connie Miller, Mary Ellen Waters. FIRST ROW: Phyllis Bowman, Marlene Miller, Kathy Maple, Linda Shrock, Joyce Fewell, Romona Fye, Kay Rickard, Becky Herrell.

Wooten's Repair Peru, Indiana

High School Choir

FIRST ROW: Joyce Mast, Connie Miller, Linda Bowman, Wayne Overman, David Kling, Cloyn Zody, Cindy Newton, Nancy Puterbaugh, Mary Ellen Waters, Connie Dyar, Connie Zehring. SECOND ROW: Karen Jenkins, Linda Gingerich, Beverly Bailey, Barbara Hershberger, Russell Miller, John Clester, Pat Hurly, Jim Mosley, Connie Einslen, Cynthia Glassburn, Barbara Greeson, Jane Ann Berglan. THIRD ROW: Phyllis Gaskins, Verba Bontrager, Darlene Wood, Sherry Lorenz, Letitia Glassburn, Steve Bowland, Larry Zehring, David Cagley, Vickie Miller, Janet Powell, Kay Rickard. FOURTH ROW: Thishona Flarherty, Vada Myers, Judy Martin, Paula Helton, Becky Herrell, Roger Sommers, Ralph Feller, Dennis Myers, Dick Slabaugh, Charlotte Bowman, Phyllis Hahn, Renee Morris, Norma Lorenz. Mrs. Merrick—Choir Director.

Sponsored by Genuine Pfister Hybrids Walter L. Ramsey Area Mgr., Amboy, Ind.

Freshman Girl's Chorus

FIRST ROW: Kathy Maple, Jan Hostetler, Carol Miller, Sandra Martin, Marcia Borden, Joyce Fewell, Becky Waltz. SECOND ROW: Linda Hass, Deanna Harter, Marlene Miller, JoNell Glassburn, Linda Shrock, Reva Bagley, Nancy White.

Choir Officers

Left to right: Darlene Wood, Treasurer; Connie Dyar, Vice-President; Charlotte Bowman, Secretary; Mary Ellen Waters, President.

Band Officers

BACK ROW, left to right: Jerry Miller, Vice-President; Connie Dyar, Treasurer; Joe Clester, Band Manager. FRONT ROW: Kay Rickard, Librarian; Karen Jenkins, President; Kathy Maple, Librarian; Phyllis Hahn, Secretary.

Pom Pom Girls

FIRST ROW: Rhonda Ellers. SECOND ROW (kneeling): Joyce Fewell, Beverly Bailey, Marsha Borden, Kay Rickard, Mary Whiterd. THIRD ROW (standing): Vickie Miller, Janet Powell, Becky Herrell, Phyllis Hahn, Connie Miller.

Majorettes

ON DRUMS: Rhonda Ellers. KNEELING: Connie Miller, Vickie Miller. STANDING: Phyllis Hahn, Becky Herrell, Janet Powell.

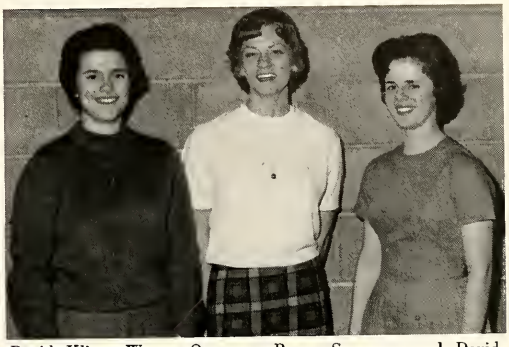
BACK ROW, from left: Paulette Glassburn, Beth Briner, Nila Boone, Tom Wagner, and Mr. Merrick. STANDING: Frank Bargerhuff, Anita Roberts, Mike Glassburn, Allen Stites, Jeff Sampsell. MIDDLE ROW, at right: Rosemary Kling, Mildred Stites, Marcia Miller. FRONT ROW: Ted Agness, Gary Exmeyer, Wanda Kendall, Bonnie Shrock, Beth Shinn, Sandra Glassburn.

Junior High Band and Choir

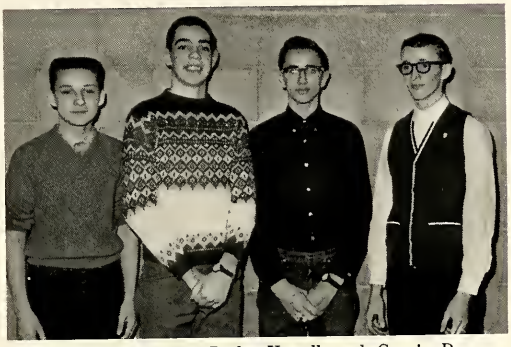
TOP ROW, from left: Robert Martin, Ethan Miller, Adrian Martin, Barry Worl, Lloyd Miller, Mike Blackburn, Gary Townsend, Charles Bowland, Dale Gaskins. THIRD ROW: Barbara Bell, Gary Garling, Billy Hopper, Mike Glassburn, Ted Agness, Jock Brankle, Gary Exmeyer, Larry Marner, Wayne King, Patty Fox. SECOND ROW: Sharon Acord, Mildred Stites, Barbara Bontrager, Kathy Johns, Sandra Shackleford, Marcia Miller, Linda Correll, Pamela Correll, Lois Kling. FIRST ROW: Bonnie Shrock, Wanda Kendall, Bonnie Helton, Judy Whiterd, Rosemary Kling, Carol Greeson, Ruth Jenkins, Mary Miller, Shirley Graber.

Music Contest Winners

Ramona Fye, Marlene Miller, Joyce Fewell.



David Kling, Wayne Overman, Roger Sommers, and David Cagley.



Mary Ellen Waters, Becky Herrell, and Connie Dyar.

Rosemary Kling, Mildred Stites, and Marcia Miller.

Summer Science Institute

Connie Zehring—Purdue University

Mike Fye—I. U. Medical Center

David Cagley—Purdue University—Speech and Hearing Institute.

F.F.A.

President, Jerry Miller; Vice-President, Tom Agness; Secretary, Terry Fye; Treasurer, Rick Miles; Reporter, Steve Miller; Sentinel, Steve Bowland.

Librarians' Club

President, David Cagley; Secretary and Treasurer, Darlene Wood.

Speech Club

OFFICERS, FRONT ROW, left to right: Phyllis Hahn, Treasurer; Karen Jenkins, Secretary; Charlotte Bowman, Vice-President; Connie Dyar, President.

When Miss Susan Feller left school due to illness, Mrs. Olga Breaux joined our faculty. Mrs. Breaux teaches 8th English, Journalism, World History, and Physical Education.

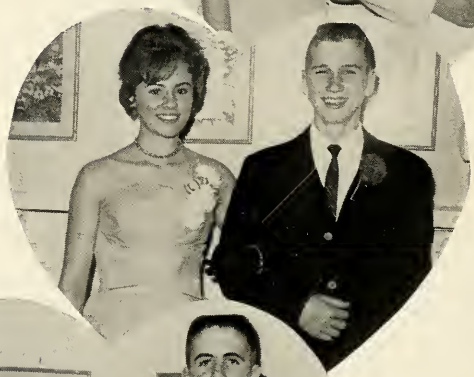
Left to right: Mrs. Breaux, Sponsor; Nona Rickard, Phyllis Gaskins, Joyce Mast.

Drum Chants

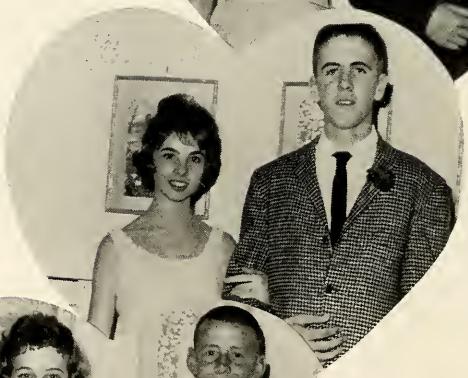
King and Queen Court Of The 1962 Halloween Festival

Cindy and Jim

Sherry and Don



Janet and Jim



Joyce and Dick

Bonnie and Barry

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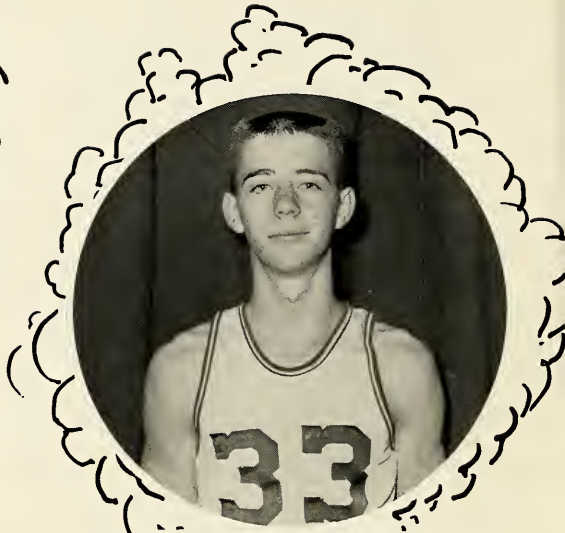
Athletics

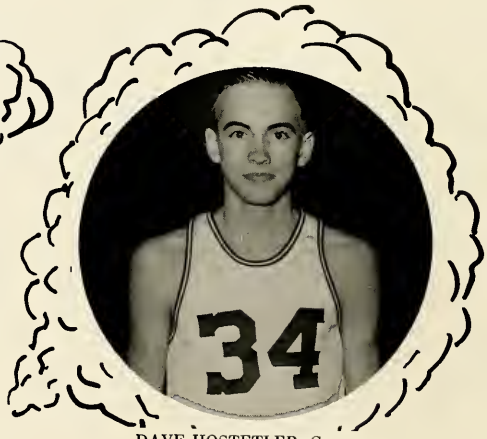
TERRY FYE, Guard—CO-CAPTAIN



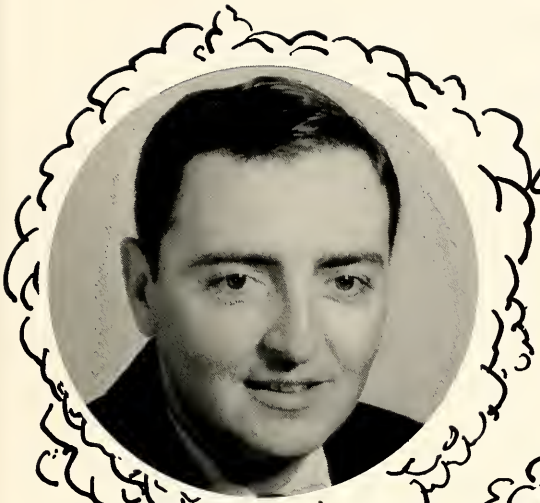
CHARLES BARNETT, Forward

DEAN BONTRAGER, Guard

Date	*School*	*Clay*	*Opp.*
Nov. 2	Swayzee	57	55
Nov. 9	Windfall	48	71
Nov. 16	Eastern	43	60
Nov. 21	Western	49	81
Nov. 30	Galveston	53	89
Dec. 5	North Western	53	62
Dec. 7	Akron	89	58
Dec. 14	Fairmount	70	63
Dec. 21	Bennetts	76	60
Jan. 4-5	Tipton	59	63
	Galveston	41	72



DAVE HOSTETLER, Center



BEN BOWLES—Coach

STEVE OLDHAM,
Forward—CO-CAPTAIN

Date	*School*	*Clay*	*Opp.*
Jan. 11	Bunker Hill	38	41
Jan. 18	South Caston	53	66
Jan. 25	North Miami	56	70
Jan. 29	Sharpsville	77	81*
Feb. 1	Tipton Twp.	65	60
Feb. 8	Southwood	72	56
Feb. 15	Washington	59	51
Feb. 16	Whites	82	39
Feb. 22	Oak Hill		

* overtime

RICK MILES, Guard

JERRY HONEYSUCKLE, Center

DON PLOUGHE, Forward

Varsity Cheerleaders

Vickie Miller, Connie Dyar, Janet Powell, Phyllis Hahn

G&G Standard Oil
Converse, Indiana

Student Managers

Terrell Myers and Dean Swartzentruber

pep club

OFFICERS: President, Charlotte Bowman; Vice-President, David Cagley; Secretary, Darlene Wood; Treasurer, Verba Bontrager; Reporter, Barbara Greeson; and Sponsor, Mrs. Merrick.

Mal's Sporting Goods
Kokomo, Indiana

OFFICERS: President, Terry Fye; Vice-President, Tom Agness; Treasurer, Rick Miles; Secretary, Steve Oldham; Sergeant at Arms, Charlie Barnett; Sponsor, Mr. Bowles.

C club

Charlotte and Tom

Juniors

Sophomores

Barbara and Joe

Seniors

Homecoming Queen and Court

Mary Ellen and Bob

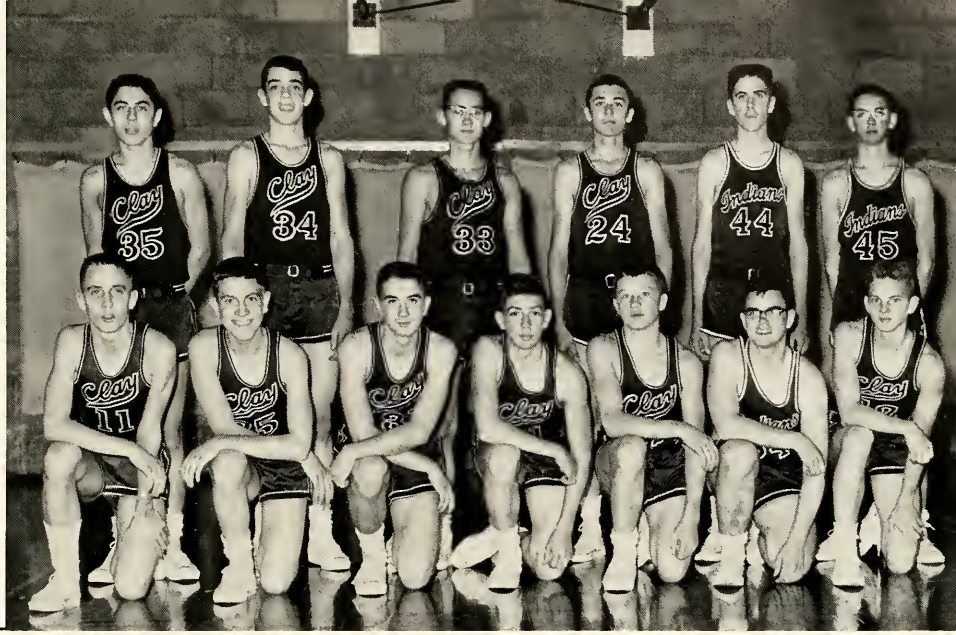
Maid of Honor—Carol and Darrel

Freshmen

Jr. High

Mary and Barry

"B" Team



KNEELING: Darrel Boone, Gary McKinley, Steve Bowland, Larry Zehring, Joe Bucher, Pat Hurley, and Dick Runyan.
STANDING: Jim Hager, Wayne Overman, Philip Kling, Dennis Meyers, Dick Slabaugh, and Jim Moseley.

Freshman

KNEELING: Russell Miller, Rex Hopper, Pat Hurley, Don Kunkle, and Dewey Childers.
STANDING: Coach Wayne Pearl, Dick Slabaugh, Jim Moseley, Dennis Meyers, Darrel Boone, Dick Runyan, and Deryl Johnson.

Jr. High

KNEELING: Billy Hopper, Mike Glassburn, Ted Agness, and Wayne King. STANDING: Coach Wayne Pearl, Gary Exmeyer, Barry Worl, Mike Blackburn, Gary Townsend, and Dale Gaskins.

G. A. A.

G.A.A. OFFICERS: President, Nancy Puterbaugh; Vice-President, Judy Stites; Secretary and Treasurer, Cindy Newton.

Cheer Leaders

Freshman

Left to right: Linda Shrock, Carol Miller, and Norma Lorenz.

Jr. High

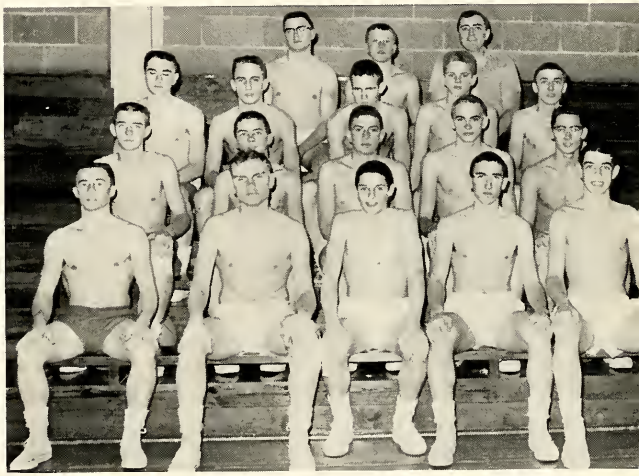
Left to right: Rosemary Kling, Kathy Johns, Bonnie Helton.
FRONT: Mildred Stites.

Track

FRONT ROW, left to right: Terry Fye, Don Ploughe, Steve Oldham, Dean Bontrager, Wayne Overman. SECOND ROW: Charles Barnett, Rick Miles, Larry Zehring, Dave Hostetler, Philip Kling. THIRD ROW: Ass. Coach, Wayne Pearl, Steve Bowland, Darrel Boone, Jerry Honeysuckle, Dick Runyan, Dennis Meyers. TOP ROW: Jim Mosely, Jim Hager, Pat Hurley, Joe Bucher, Coach, Ben Bowles.

Cross-Country

FRONT ROW, left to right: Terry Fye, Don Ploughe, Steve Oldham, Dean Bontrager, Wayne Overman. SECOND ROW: Charles Barnett, Rick Miles, Larry Zehring, Dave Hostetler, Philip Kling. THIRD ROW: Steve Bowland, Darrel Boone, Jerry Honeysuckle, Dick Runyan, Dennis Meyers. LAST ROW: Pat Hurley, Joe Bucher, Coach, Ben Bowles.



Baseball

KNEELING: Dewey Childers, Dean Swartzentruber, Steve Oldham, Terry Fye, Pat Hurley, Rick Miles, Larry Zehring. STANDING: Dick Slabaugh, Dennis Meyers, Joe Bucher, Philip Kling, Steve Bowland, Charles Barnett, Jim Hager, Gary McKinley, Rex Hopper.

Kokomo Roller Arena Rink

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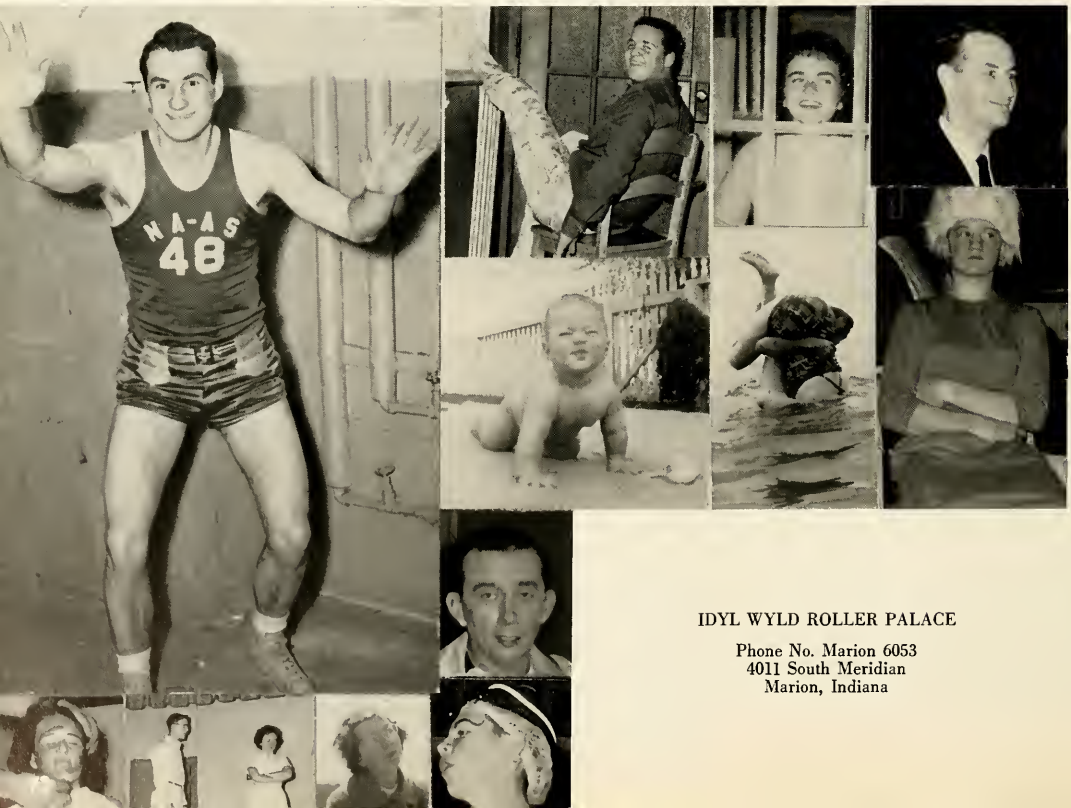
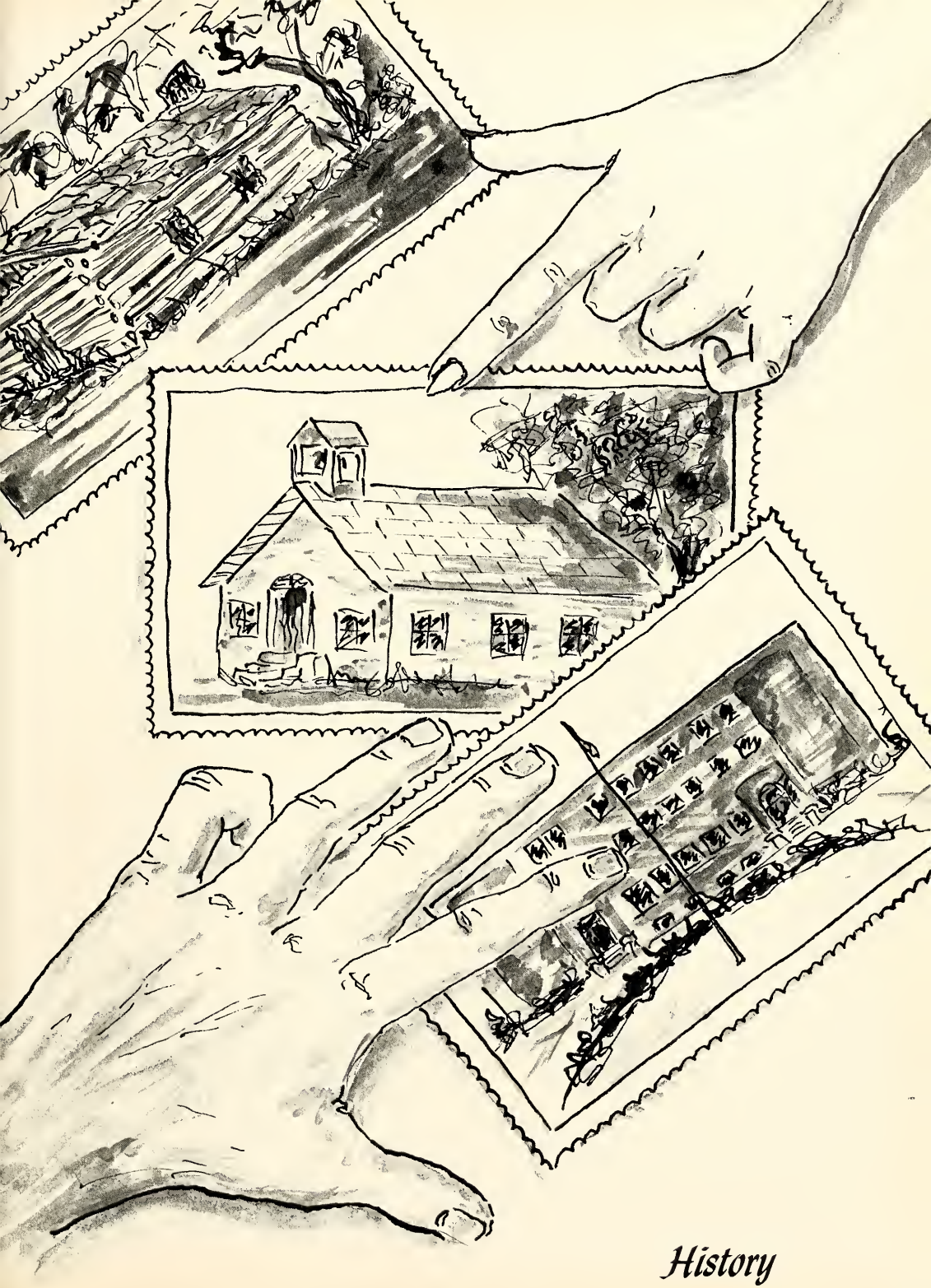
1200 East Morgan
KOKOMO, INDIANA



IDYL WYLD ROLLER PALACE

Phone No. Marion 6053
4011 South Meridian
Marion, Indiana



History

History of the Clay Twp. School

Public education began in Clay Township in 1842 when a log school house was built one half mile east of Wawpecong. This was on the present site of the D. L. Maple residence.

After the township was organized in 1846, it was divided into districts with a school in each district. The school term ranged from thirty to ninety days and was based on what the parents could afford to pay.

Three trustees were elected annually to operate the schools. Among their duties were hiring the teachers and deciding the amount of their salary, both in money and farm produce. Each teacher hired was expected to have a general knowledge of reading, writing, and arithmetic.

In 1859 the trustees' office was consolidated into one office with one man to be elected annually. He was to receive a salary of twenty-one dollars per year.

In 1913 there were ten grade schools in the township valued at $10,600. The ten teachers received a combined salary of $3,760.

During this time any student desiring a high school education attended the Amboy, Bunker Hill, Howard Township, or Kokomo Schools.

These ten schools formed a close family relationship between neighbors and teacher. The students enjoyed the many good times they had in these small schools.

Then a new era came along. It was decided that the small school must go, and there was to be one new school building near the center of the township which would combine and include all twelve grades. With the supervision of the trustee, B. F. Jenkins, and his advisory board, Emerson Dunlap, Charles Irvin, and Joseph Anderson, a new site on the O. C. Kling farm was chosen. A new school building, Clay Township High School, was erected at a cost of $120,000.

This was a great advancement in education, not only for the students in Clay Township, but also for the surrounding townships. These included Harrison, Deer Creek, and Washington.

In the fall of 1922 school was delayed for three weeks to allow completion of the new building.

When the first day of school did arrive, it was a thrill for the students to ride on "hacks." This truly was a beginning of a new school experience. Two of the hacks were drawn by horses and four were Model T Fords. The first drivers were Sherman Kendall, Forest Glassburn, Walter Wolf, Willis Hostetler, John Christner, and Elmer Warfelt. All students living within a mile of the school had to walk.

When the students finally arrived at the new school and entered the beautiful building, there were many mixed emotions as they walked through the large halls wondering which room would be theirs. They were surprised to see so many modern conveniences that they were not accustomed to.

The first teachers were Harvey Hartley—principal, Wendall Lamb, Josephine Lamb, and John Bart Conn. They taught the seventh and eighth grades and the first three high school grades. There was no senior class the first year. The high school enrollment during the initial year was forty-two.

Miriam Shrock taught the first and second grades; Ada Wright taught grades three and four; and Edward Lippold was the fifth and sixth grade teacher. Miss Ethel Ellars substituted several weeks for the third and fourth grades during that first year of school. The next year she started teaching full time and has taught at Clay every year since.

Curley Clymer was the first janitor.

Eleven trustees had served the township before the building of the new school, and the following have served since: Ben Jenkins, Charles Irvin. Treat Morton, Pete Klingman, D. L. Maple, Wayne Fye, and Verlin Kling. Until the new school board was organized, the trustees had a major role in the administration of the school.

Principals who have served are Harvey Hartley, 1922-1923; T. A. Shively, 1923-1925; Glenn Nelson, 1925-1930; T. A. Shively, 1930-1946; Robert Curless, 1946-1947; Builford Gurtner, 1947-1951; Leonard Freed, 1951-1959; Max Brewer. 1959-1962; Jonathon Ellers, 1962-1963.

There were many interesting things that occurred during the last forty-one years of school. Memories will quickly turn back to class parties, senior trips, or perhaps the cold rides on the hack. Those people who were in school in 1936 remember when several teachers, students, and the trustee were marooned in the school by a snow blizzard which piled up drifts from three to five feet across the roads. In addition the temperature dropped to a minus 19 degrees. Blankets were brought in from cars, food was brought in from Gerhart's, and the students slept on tables and gym bleachers. Some of the high school boys helped shovel coal in the furnace to keep the building warm. The next afternoon the roads were opened enough to get all home safely.

In 1925 Tom Mix, noted cowboy star who was in Peru with the circus, came to school. This was a great thrill for all.

The large assembly room which was later divided into three rooms was used for good times when the teacher left for a few minutes. One man teacher decided to check on the students. There was one glass out of the west doors, and he went out in the hall and put his head through the opening. Unfortunately he was unable to remove it without help.

In 1940 under the supervision of Treat Morton, trustee, a new vocational agriculture building was built west of the school at a cost of $2000. Charles Lash was the first agriculture teacher to use the new building. This was a valuable addition to the school.

In 1949 under the supervision of D. L. Maple a much-needed gym was built at a cost of $95,000, and the old gym was converted into a cafeteria. During these forty-one years there have been many other changes and improvements to the building that have added much to the school and have kept it in good repair.

There have been nineteen annuals published. The first in 1930 was called the Reflector. Since that time they have been called K-EL-A, Smoke Signals, Chieftain, Red Arrow, and Geronimo.

The Clay School has had a library, band, glee club, school paper, basketball team, baseball team, track squad, speech club, plays, and many more activities that have left a lasting impression to which the community can point with pride.

As the 1963 school year comes to a close, the Clay Township School will have graduated 919 students. Four hundred and ninety of this number were transferred from the surrounding townships.

This school, which bore the name Clay Township Indians, was representative of a far greater area. It represented the united and consolidated effort of both parents and students from Clay and the neighboring townships of Deer Creek, Harrison, Butler, Jackson, and Washington. It has been through the combined efforts of all of these people that the ledger of this school's proud record has been written.

There are many more memorable and interesting things that could be said about the school, faculty, and students of Clay Township. These memories, however, will fall into oblivion—the victim of Father Time. The one legacy which will be willed to the new Maconaquah School is the dedication to truth and high character which has been such a vital part of this greater Clay School Community.

Clay Faculty 1923-24

THOMAS SHIVELY,
Principal
B. F. JENKINS,
Trustee
WENDELL LAMB,
Assistant Principal

CARL JENKINS
MRS. JOSEPHINE LAMB
MRS. PERRY HUFFAKER
MR. PERRY HUFFAKER

TO THE SENIORS OF '24
by
Mr. Huffaker

To you seniors I sing this song
As you stand in an open door;
And fathom the mystic meetings
The future holds in store.

Your life should be the biggest,
And you can make it so
By keeping your aims toward heaven.
The home of stars you know.

Your thots should be of others,
That's the better way to live.
Your happiness should come to you
Thru the service you can give.

And now, Oh seniors of '24,
A parting word to you;
Just this time I would say more,
'Aim high, dare, and do!

First Graduating Class — 1924

Roy Zook
Edith Frey
Mildred Cunningham
John Ellers

Georgia Powell
Allen Childers
Cleta Shrock
Ralph Childers
Wanita Myers

"The Dust of the Earth"

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

March 15 and 16, 1929

Mrs. G. L. Runyan ..... *Coach*
Edith Rody ..... *Elizabeth Moore*
Paul LeMaster ..... *Rev. Dr. Templeton*
Pauline Graham ..... *Aunt Susan Moore*
Herbert Osborne ..... *David Moore*
Thurman Agness ..... *Business Manager*
Roy Humbarger ..... *Old Mose*
Mildred Tumblin ..... *Miss Arabella*
Verlin Kling ..... *John Ryder*
Noel Bailey ..... *Wandering Tom*
Herman Agness ..... *Jerry*

Above is the cast of one of many fine plays presented to the public by students at Clay. A little touch of 'Broadway' has always been welcomed and enjoyed by the community.

Music and Dramatics

Clay Twp. has the unique position of being one of the very first rural schools in Indiana having the advantage of band and orchestra in the school.

Clay has continued its appreciation for music throughout the years. Many awards have been attained by both ensembles and individuals in the music department.

INSTRUCTOR, Mr. Baker; SEATED, left to right: Dorothy Reed, Max Waters, Earl Shrock, Dorotha Overman, Kathleen Kling, Basil Overman, John R. Harts, Carl Yoars. STANDING, left to right: Lloyd Shrock, Emerson Larrison, Paul Huston, Walden Whitezel, Meredith Bowland, Dorothea Shrock, Geraldine Hostetler, Moses Hensler.

Orchestra 1929 ~ 1930

1925

TOP ROW: Victory Dawalt, Assistant Coach; Carl Jenkins, Head Coach. SECOND ROW: Leonard Johnson, Herrell Waters, Omer Conn, Raymond Shively, Everett Shively. FRONT ROW: Ralph Myers, Laurel Shively, Harry Wolf.

Clay Township High School's husky basket tossers played the best game of their careers when they defeated Converse High in the finals of the local basketball sectional, 31 to 19.

Sectional Champs

Within 24 hours the Indians defeated Somerset, 69-58; the unbeaten North Caston, 59-56; and finally received their greatest reward by winning over the Peru Tigers, 62-51.

BACK ROW: Dick Wood, Dave Hostetler, Dave Minor, Mr. Bowles, Roger Oldham, Carl Zody, and Gene Hedrick.
FRONT ROW: Steve Oldham, Tom Agness, Charlie Barnett, Bill Newman, John Rickard, and Terry Fye.

1962

Indians Take Many Scalps

TOP ROW, left to right: Glen Nelson, Principal; John Christner, Edward McKinley, Charles Glassburn, Weldon Worl, Edward Lippold, Coach. BOTTOM ROW: Claude Dearing, Ralph Jenkins, Nelson Glassburn, Leo Stodgell.

The first County Tournament which Clay won was played in the Peru High School gymnasium between all teams in the county with Peru entering their second team.

The Clay Twp. Indians, heavy favorites to win the tournament, came through and were crowned 1929-1930 Champions of Miami County. They won this honor by defeating the Peru Cubs in the final game with a score of 32-15.

This was the first team to be called "Indians."

County Champs

1936
Everett Fewell
Gene Bargerhuff
Robert Rhinebarger
Claude Wolf
Bob McKinley
Bob Zehring
Beecher Waters
Charles Kile
Lawrence Fewell
Robert Aldridge
Eddie Lippold, Coach

1940
Eldo Fewell
John Nichols
Ed Bargerhuff
Elmer Miles
Dick Cagley
Bill Bullock
Bob Finch
Waldo Fewell
Vernon Waltz
Jack Hedrick
Eddie Lippold, Coach

1946
Frank Maple
Bill Bartrum
Jack Klingman
Bill Shively
Dick Shively
Dick Weller
Earl Overman
Don Harts
Wayne Rhinebarger
Richard Graft
Eddie Lippold, Coach

1949
Ronald Waters
Bill Wise
Don Hullinger
Dale Glassburn
Larry Shively
Marvin Green
Bill Kuntz
Bob Shively
Dick Green
Lloyd Oldfather
Eddie Lippold, Coach

1951
Lloyd Oldfather
Gail Oldfather
Everett Neal
Kenneth Longfellow
Wendell Vincent
Dick Fawcett
Rex Childers
Gene Lippold
Gary Worl
Jack Stambaugh
Eddie Lippold, Coach

1957
Mike Lesher
Garry Childers
Dick Oldham
Bob Newman
Rex Klise
Wayne Miller
Mike Murray
Rex Zody
Frank McConnell
Ben Bowles, Coach

1960
Joe Glassburn
Roland Wideman
Kent Sumpter
John Rickard
Roger Oldham
Gary Powell
David Minor
Carl Zody
Wilbur Deeter
Rex Kling
Marshall Crain
Larry Harts
Jerry McCracken, Coach

First Ball Game

CLAY TOWNSHIP WINS

Saturday, Oct. 29, 1922

A basketball game was staged in the gym of the Clay township consolidated school building Friday night, the contestants being the high school teams of Bunker Hill and Clay township. For this game, which is the first ever played by the Clay township high school, members of the team having been practicing for several weeks, and they gave a good account of themselves in the Friday night game, winning from the old and tried Bunker Hill team by a score of 27 to 21. The game which did not have a dull moment in it was witnessed by a large crowd of people and everybody went away mightily pleased, especially the patrons of the school and others who were there to root for the home boys.

Sectional Winners

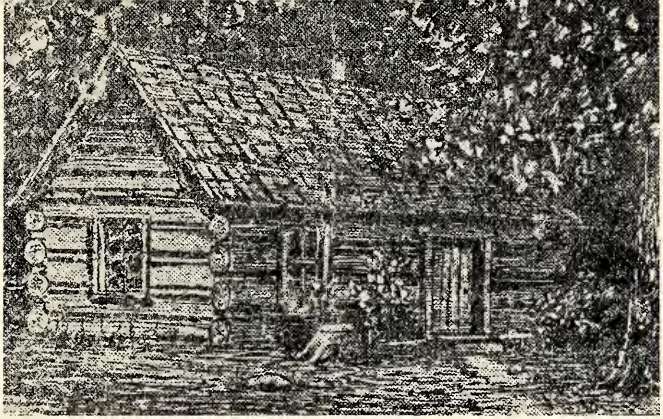
1962 Clay 62—Peru 51
1961 Peru 108—Akron 50
1960 Bunker Hill 64—Clay 54
1959 Converse 81—Peru 55
1958 Peru 60—Akron 56 (overtime)
1957 Peru 65—Fulton 45
1956 Akron 64—Peru 56
1955 Peru 60—Converse 47
1954 Peru 41—Converse 37
1953 Peru 84—Bunker Hill 55
1952 Peru 63—Macy 36
1951 Peru 77—Macy 36
1950 Converse 46—Peru 40
1949 Peru 40—Bunker Hill 32
1948 Peru 62—Gilead 33
1947 Peru 42—Bunker Hill 16
1945 Peru 65—Clay 28
1944 Converse 46—Bunker Hill 22
1943 Peru 22—Converse 18
1942 Peru 54—Clay 26
1941 Peru 37—Converse 35
1940 Amboy 27—Converse 25 (overtime)
1939 Peru 27—Clay 24 (overtime)
1938 Peru 42—Clay 19
1937 Peru 29—Bunker Hill 24
1936 Peru 44—Clay 42
1935 Peru 30—Clay 28
1934 Peru 50—Chili 21
1933 Peru 39—Bunker Hill 18
1932 Peru 48—Butler 17
1931 Peru 34—Clay 27
1930 Peru 25—Clay 24
1929 Peru 56—Clay 23
1928 Peru 27—Mexico 7
1927 Peru 31—Deedsville 19
1926 Deedsville 44—Clay 32
1925 Clay 31—Converse 19
1924 Bunker Hill 23—Clay 18

County Tourney Winners

1961 Bunker Hill 64—Gilead 55
1960 Clay 76—Bunker Hill 72
1959 Converse 65—Chili 54
1958 Converse 61—Bunker Hill 35
1957 Clay 42—Bunker Hill 31
1956 Bunker Hill 52—Clay 43
1955 Converse 56—Clay 47
1954 Chili 47—Converse 37
1953 Bunker Hill 55—Converse 45
1952 Bunker Hill 57—Converse 52
1951 Clay 57—Macy 51
1950 Mexico 49—Gilead 37
1949 Clay 34—Bunker Hill 32
1948 Converse 45—Bunker Hill 22
1947 Converse 34—Clay 33
1946 Clay 46—Chili 30
1945 Bunker Hill 40—Gilead 25
1944 Converse 45—Bunker Hill 29
1943 Bunker Hill 33—Clay 19
1942 Converse 42—Amboy 26
1941 Bunker Hill 33—Converse 25
1940 Clay 26—Amboy 25
1939 Bunker Hill 32—Chili 23
1938 Peru B 30—Bunker Hill 29
1937 Bunker Hill 40—Clay 22
1936 Clay 27—Bunker Hill 25
1935 Bunker Hill 27—Clay 22
1934 Butler 21—Bunker Hill 18
1933 Mexico 39—Chili 34
1932 Peru B 30—Converse 12
1931 Converse 37—Mexico 21
1930 Clay 32—Peru B 16
1929 Bunker Hill 16—Amboy 15
1928 Peru B 28—Bunker Hill 12
1927 Bunker Hill 25—Deedsville 18
1926 Amboy 27—Deedsville 22
1925 Bunker Hill 20—Converse 16
1924 Peru B 16—Deedsville 15
1923 Amboy 28—Deedsville 26
1922 Amboy 30—Converse 21

COACHES AT CLAY

John Bart Conn 1922-1923
Carl Jenkins 1923-1925, during illness Wendell Lamb assisted.
Albert Flaw 1925-1927
Edward Lippold 1927-1957
Ben Bowles 1957-1958
Jerry McCracken 1958-1959
Dale Kelly 1959-1960
Ben Bowles 1960-1963



First School House in Clay Township

This school was built in 1842 one-half miles east of Wawpecong. It was constructed of hewn logs, with a clap-board roof and puncheon floor. The building was equipped with an old-fashioned box stove and split benches without backs on which the children were compelled to sit all day and study their lessons from books resting on their laps.

"Kid Hack" Used in 1922

Pictured at right is one of the hacks used during the first year of school at Clay. It was driven by Sherman Kendall.

1930 Transportation

Left to right: Forest Glassburn, George LeMaster, George Sonafrank, Sherman Kendall, Alva Buckalew, Fress Bowland, John Christner, Charles Bowland, Elmer Warfelt, and Charles Hostetler.

Graduates of Clay Twp. High School

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John Ellars
Edith Frey
Wanita Myers
Georgia Powell
Cleta Shrock
Roy Zook

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Omer Conn
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June Sims
Beatrice Slabaugh
Iva Sommers
Dora Tumblin
Harry Wolf

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Mildred Childers
Agness Fewell
Lulu Heinnickel
Marvin Hershberger
*Orvin Hershberger
Allen Kling
Helen Kling
Omer Lippold
Irene Odell
Charles Sharp
Margaret Sharp
Raymond Shively
Herrell Waters
Vera Worl

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Mildred Christner
Paul Davis
Vera Dunlap
Ralph Feller
Beulah Jenkins
Leonard Johnson
Viola Johnson
Mildred Kling
*Alva Lesher
Rosa Shrader
Elzie Shrock
Vera Slabaugh
*Ervin Sommers
Hannah Lee Whitezel

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*Paul Childers
Beulah Comerford
Alice Ellars
Ethel Glassburn
Ortha Humbarger
Russell Jenkins
Hasket Malott
Gladys Rody
Goldie Shilling
Evelyn Shrock
Marie Sims
Lowell Stepler
Bertha Strebin
Charlotte Waters
Marjorie Waters
Dorothy Whitted
Glenn Wolf
Lucille Worl

CLASS OF 1929
Herman Agness
Thurman Agness
Catherine Athey
Noel Bailey
*Verlin Boone
*Elsie Dearing
Melvin Foust
Pauline Graham
Mildred Hostetler
Roy Humbarger
Verlin Kling
Paul LeMaster
*Charlotte Myers
Herbert Osborne
Eldo Powell
George Reminger
Edith Rody
Cecil Sharp
Violet Shively
Truman Slabaugh
Charles Stepler
Mildred Tumblin
John Wilson

CLASS OF 1930
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Paul Huston
Edna Irvin
Ralph Jenkins
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*Edward McKinley
*Elsie Miller
Ethel Miller
Dorothy Reed
Clifford Shively
Laurel Shrock
Walden Whitezel
Weldon Worl

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Chester Davis
Claude Dearing
Raymond Dunn
*Robert Dunn
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LeMoine Glassburn
Nelson Glassburn
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Marjorie Hedrick
Ruth Hershberger
Irene Hostetler
Madge Jenkins
Ilene Miller
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Velma Powell
Esther Shively
Roger Shively
Dorothea Shrock
Leo Stodgell
Harold Wolf

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*Weldon Boone
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Ennid Cunningham
Byford Dye
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Earl Fewell
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Miriam Dunlap
Daisy Glassburn
*Harold Glassburn

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Woodrow Holler
Emerson Hostetler
Geraldine Hostetler
Katie Keim
Kelton Kunkle
Emerson Larrison
Violet Lesh
Lela Miller
Marjorie Osborne
Blanch Powell
Dallas Riley
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Carl Yoars

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Harold Hedrick
Wilma Jenkins
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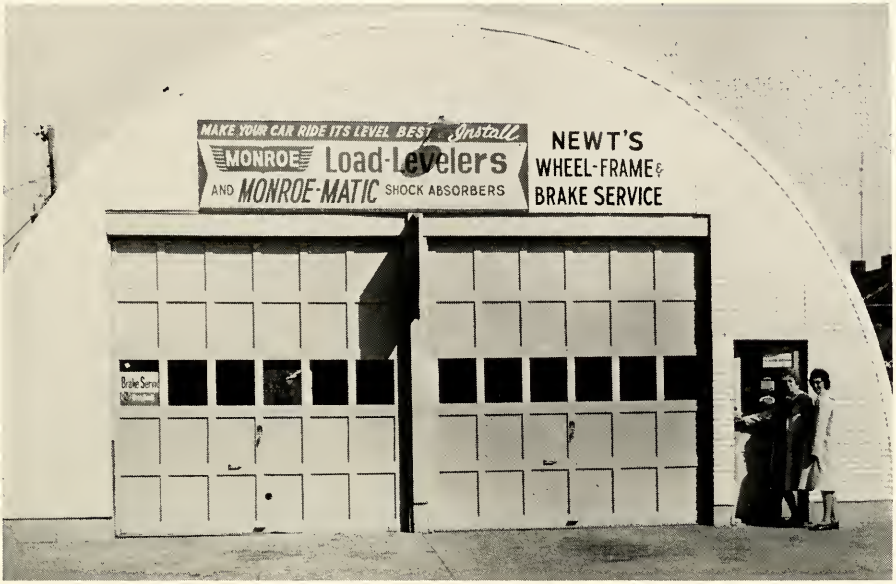

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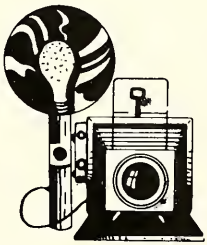

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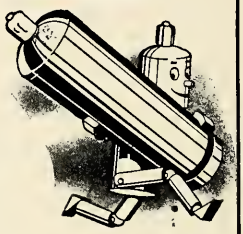

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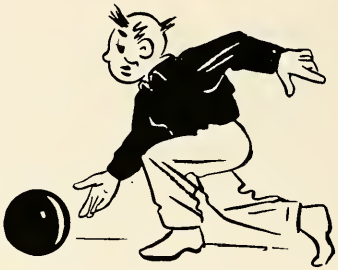

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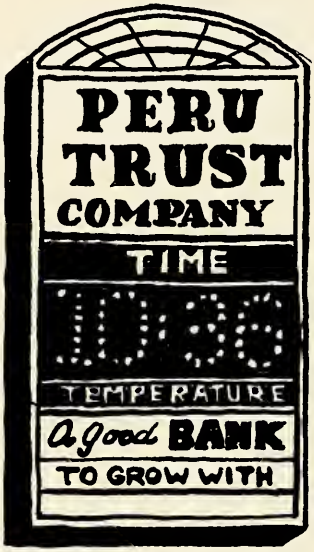

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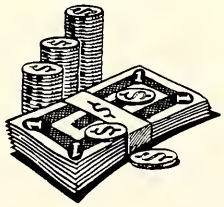

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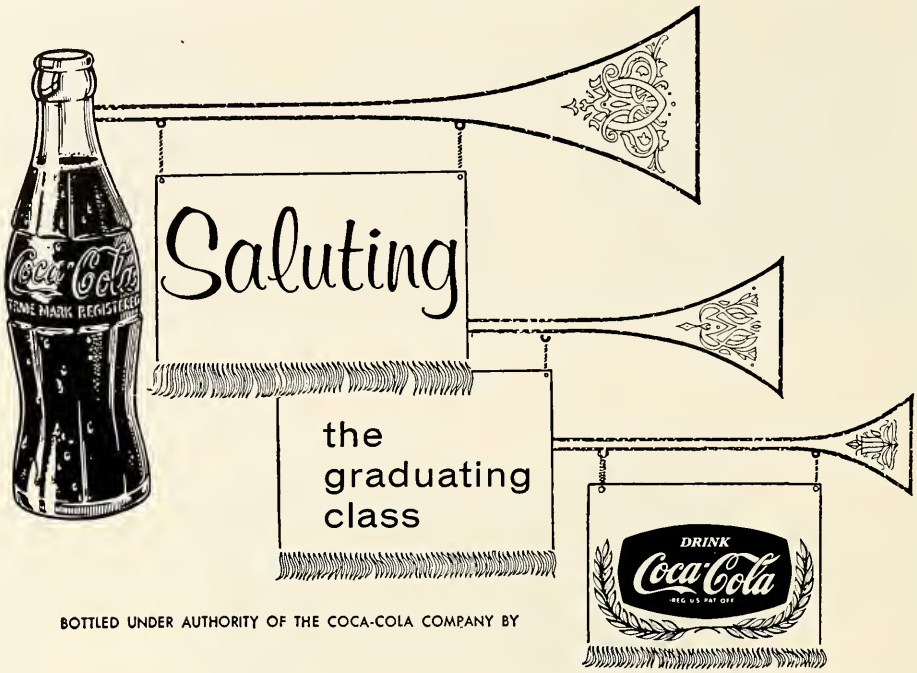

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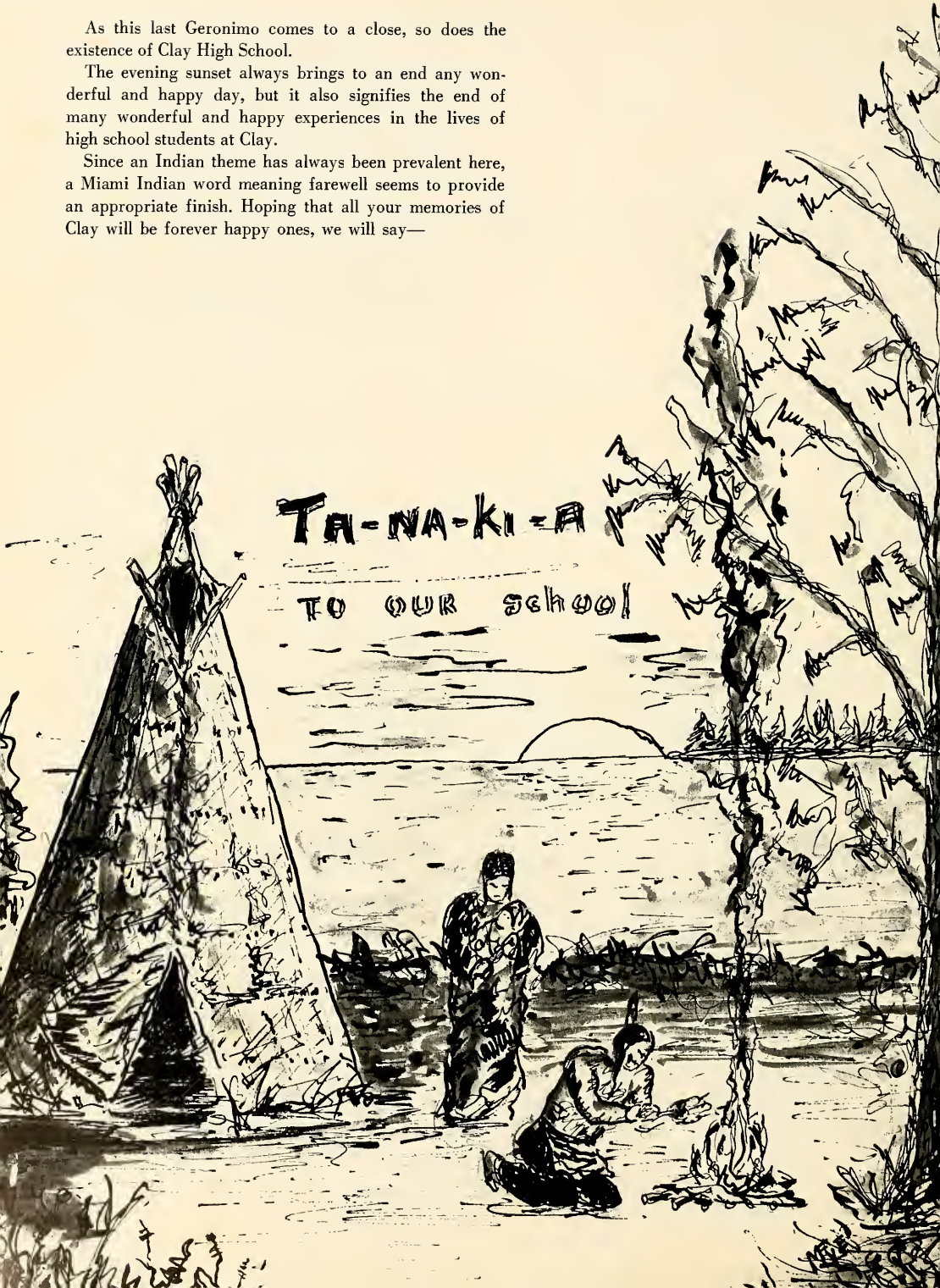
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